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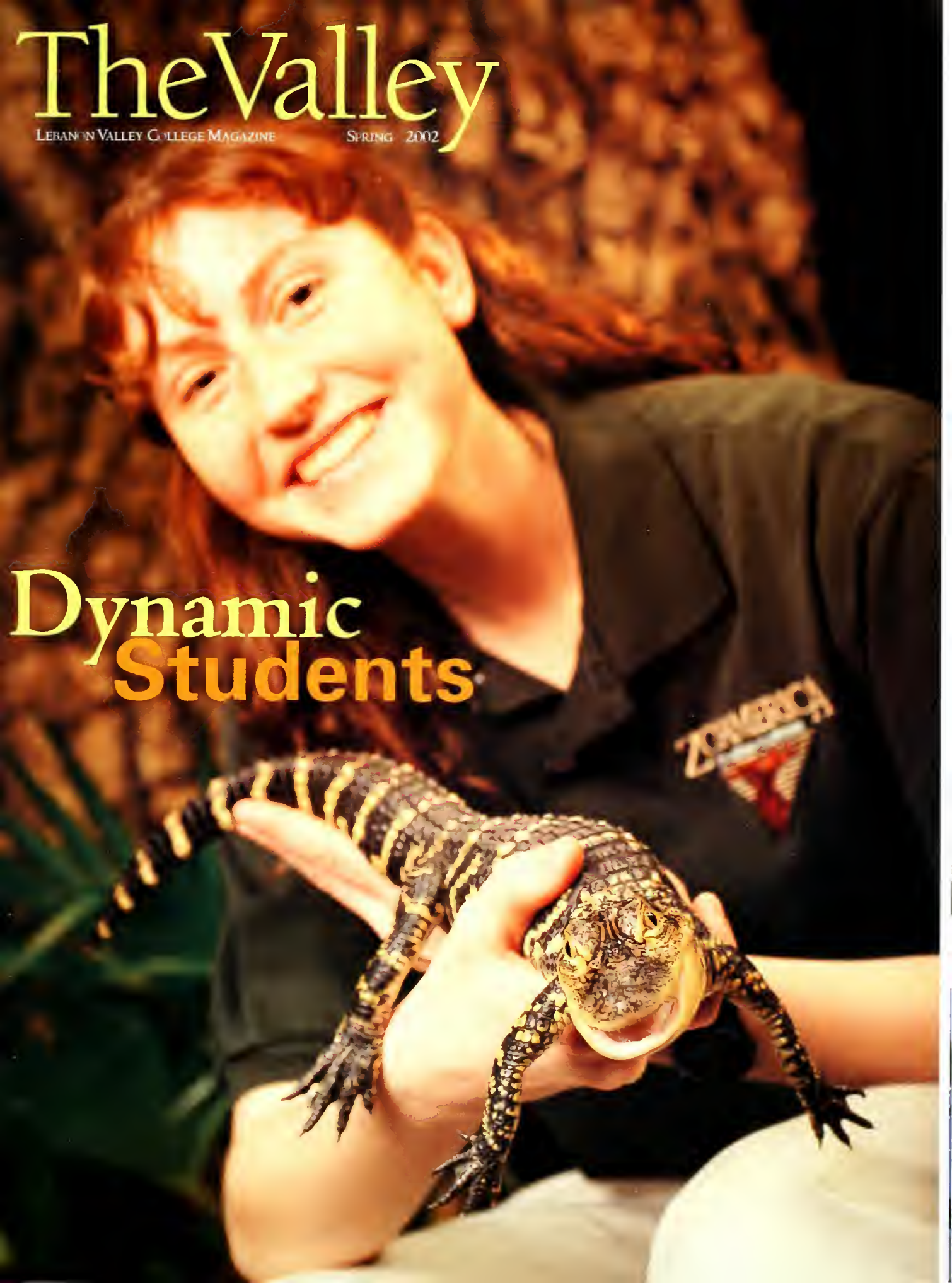

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Dynamic Students: The Norm, Not the Exception

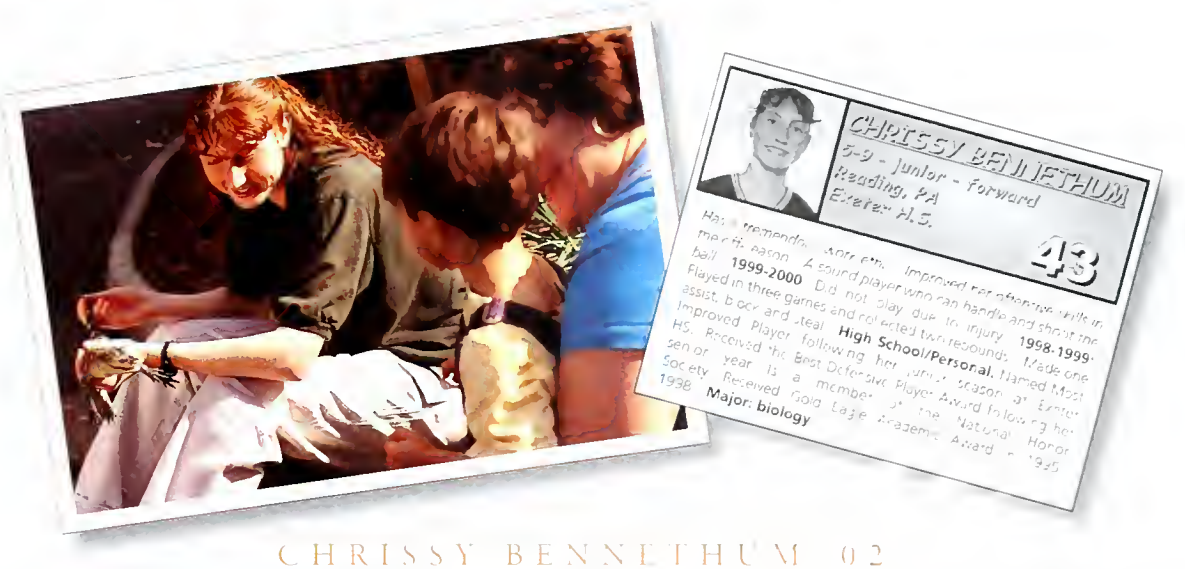
By Heather Robino

If you asked generations of alumni to share their memories of The Valley, their descriptions would differ in the details—whether they attended before or after World War II, before or after the integration of the 1960s, before or after e-mail hit the scene. But without a doubt, they would all use words like family, community and nurturing to describe the best of their experiences. Although time has moved on, the campus has changed and LVC has undergone significant growth in its student body, what is fundamentally "The Valley" is the same today as it always has been.

"What has changed is much more superficial than folks might realize," says **LVC President G. David Pollick**. "The College has grown physically—new grounds, new buildings—but the quality of education and the interaction between faculty and students is the same. The heart of the experience at Lebanon Valley is the relationship between professor and student; that has remained the same."

The dedication to producing well-rounded graduates has also remained constant. Dr. Pollick notes that the secret to maintaining that tradition is rooted in a strong will to "develop and hold dear" a curriculum that builds strong skills and prepares students to pursue a number of different careers. "Some universities say they want to provide a liberal arts education, but when you look at their curriculums they don't really do that. We stay true to what we believe in." Here are just a few examples ...

Pictured above: Karen Cunningham '02, LVC President G. David Pollick and Mark Prinzivalli '03 enjoy the Peace Garden.



CHRISSY BENNETHUM '02

MAJOR
Biology; English communications minor

HOMETOWN
Reading, Pennsylvania

WHY SHE CHOSE LVC Chrissy comes from a long line of LVC alumni, including her great-grandfather, **C. Dean Salada '31,** her father, the **Rev. Dr. D. Michael Bennethum '75** and her mother, **Diane Schaefer Bennethum '76.** Her younger sister, **Katie Bennethum '04,** is currently an elementary education major at LVC.

ACTIVITIES Women's basketball; Student Athletic Advisory Board; Fellowship of Christian Athletes; Biology Club; Tri-Beta national biology honor society, treasurer, 2002; *La Vie Collegienne,* writer

FONDEST MEMORY OF LVC "My favorite memories are of the people who touched my life — the friends I have made, the professors and staff who have helped guide me through my education, and the camaraderie of being part of the women's basketball team."

On May 31, 2001, a Siberian tiger at the Philadelphia Zoo gave birth to cubs — cubs that were the offspring of the two most genetically valuable tigers in the United States — and **Chrissy Bennethum '02** can say she was there. Moreover, she will tell you that her experience with these cubs was one of the most rewarding of her life.

"The mother rejected them, as many first-time tiger moms do, so the cubs were hand-raised by the zookeepers," she explains. "I started observing them through glass at 10 days of age, when they each weighed a little over two pounds. I was able to see their eyes open, to hear their first calls and to see them completely develop from helpless cubs. Now, at nine months, each one weighs over 150 pounds."

Although her fascination with animals began in her childhood with *Ranger Rick* magazine and *National Geographic* specials, Chrissy was not sure what she wanted to do with a biology degree. Sometime between her sophomore and junior years, she heard the calling to be a zookeeper. As an animal care intern at Hershey ZooAmerica, she learned firsthand the nuances of cleaning, feeding, observing and even entertaining the animals in an attempt to make their life in captivity as natural and beneficial as possible.

The internship at ZooAmerica led to similar opportunities at the Philadelphia Zoo, where Chrissy began as an education ambassador intern during the summer of 2001 — one of 65 students chosen from over 200 applicants. Thanks to her experience last summer, she won a second internship in September as an animal care intern at the Philadelphia Zoo's children's zoo, to which she commutes on weekends. After graduation, Chrissy says her dream job would be to work with primates or large cats (her favorite animals are orangutans and tigers). Fortunately, she has garnered some valuable experience in Philadelphia giving "Tiger Tours" and working in the PECO Primate Reserve educating the public about primates and conservation issues.

"The classes I have taken for my biology major at Lebanon Valley have given me a solid background, but they were not specialized for zoo work," she says. "I owe a lot of credit to **Dr. Stacy Goodman,** my academic adviser, for helping me to research internship possibilities and realize my dream."÷

Chrissy was recently hired as a natural st aide at Hershey ZooAmeric

TYRONE BROXTON '03

MAJOR
English communications; business minor

HOMETOWN
King of Prussia, Pennsylvania

WHY HE CHOSE LVC: Football recruitment brought this city kid to The Valley, but "it felt like home right away."

ACTIVITIES: WLVC, public relations and sports director; men's and women's basketball radio commentator; *La Vie Collegienne,* sports editor and layout editor; football; sports information intern; Gospel Choir

MOST IMPORTANT LIFE LESSON LEARNED AT LVC: "Lebanon Valley has taught me that you make your own luck in the game of life. Luck is something that is earned, not gained. If you want something, you have to work extremely hard for it. When you work hard, that is when you start to get lucky."

Tyron Broxton '03 is downright ubiquitous. You can see him on the football field as a starting defensive lineman; you can hear him doing play-by-play for men's and women's basketball games on WLVC; and you can read his words on the pages of *La Vie Collegienne.* And someday, he hopes that you will see his face on ESPN's *SportsCenter.*

"I want to be a big-time sports writer or announcer — the next Howard Cosell, Dick Vitale or Bob Costas," he states. Are these lofty ambitions or an attainable dream? You make the call.

While some undergraduates embark upon a college career with only a vague notion of what they might want to do, Tyrone's goal has been clear since the night he heard Bob Costas call the NBA championship game between the Chicago Bulls and the Seattle Supersonics in 1996. In fact, as a senior at Upper Merion High School, he e-mailed **LVC President G. David Pollick** and boldly forecast his success before he even arrived. "I predicted that I would change the way Lebanon Valley sees communications," he remembers.

True to his word, Tyrone jumped right in as a commentator for sporting events, took on the role of sports editor for the campus newspaper, performed double duty as PR and sports director for WLVC, and wrote for *The Valley* and annual *President's Report* to diversify his portfolio. In addition, he scored internships with the Harrisburg Senators baseball team, the AA farm club for the Major League's Montreal Expos, and with the sports anchor at WHTM-TV, Harrisburg's ABC affiliate. Both experiences taught him that you can learn a lot by doing the dirty work.

"What motivates me is to be the best at what I do, period," he explains. "I am attempting to enter the field of sports journalism where there are a lot of top-notch people. To be the best, you have to practice."

JENNIFER PEIRSON '03

MAJOR
Elementary education/special education, dual certification

HOMETOWN
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

WHY SHE CHOSE LVC A Vickroy Scholarship winner, Jen liked that LVC had a strong education curriculum and was close to home. "It is very personal," she adds. "Every time I visited campus, it felt like the right place for me."

ACTIVITIES Best Buddies, director; Student Pennsylvania State Education Association, secretary; Valley Ambassador; resident assistant; education curriculum lab assistant

MOST INFLUENTIAL PROFESSOR "I have learned so much from **Dr. Cheryl George,** the special education coordinator. She teaches by example; she is always willing to listen and always willing to help. She works hard and provides us with opportunities that will eventually help us succeed."

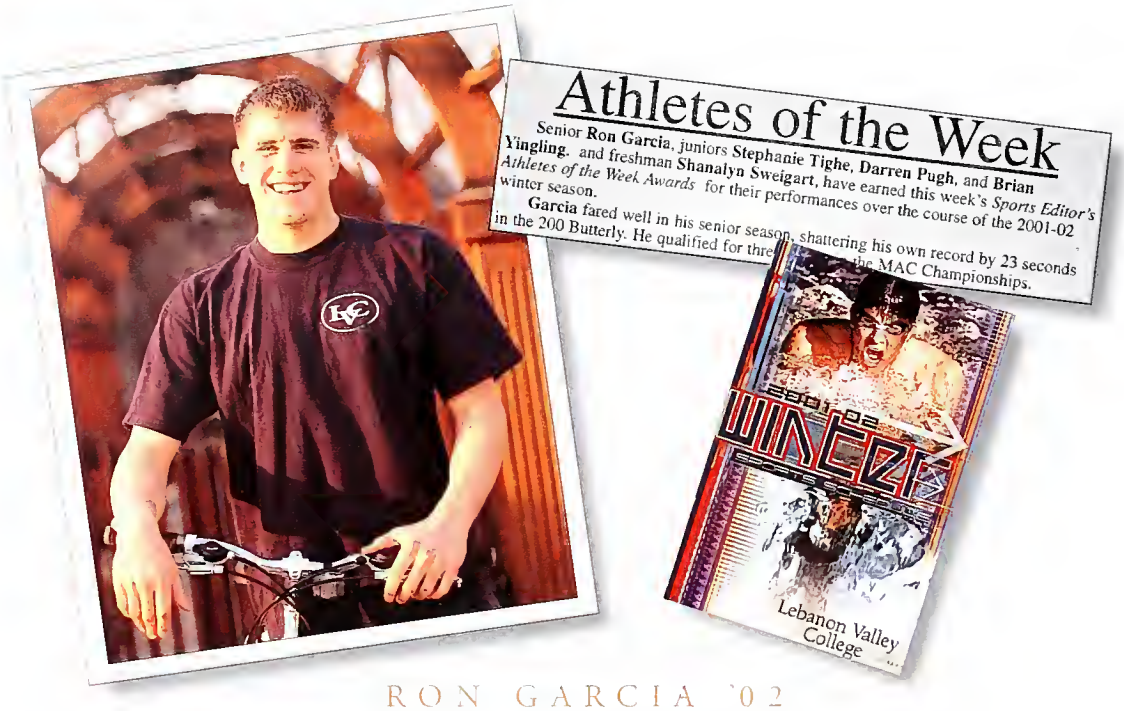
Jen Peirson '03 has known since she was in the second grade that she wanted to be a teacher. She has a kind, nurturing way about her that seems perfectly suited for an elementary level or special education classroom. It was likely those qualities that, as a first-year student, drew her to the LVC chapter of Best Buddies, an organization that pairs college students with mentally retarded individuals in the surrounding community.

Anthony Kennedy Shriver founded Best Buddies in 1987 when he was a student at Georgetown University. Shriver recognized the importance of those with mental retardation socializing with their peers. By forming one-on-one relationships with developmentally disabled individuals, college volunteers offer them the chance to experience social opportunities.

For the past three years, Jen has been paired with Lillie, a woman in her 60s who lives in a group home in Myerstown, Pa. As a buddy, Jen makes weekly contact with Lillie, usually just hanging out at Lillie's house and listening to music. Jen has also brought Lillie to the Best Buddies' spring luau and Halloween parties, where all the buddies get a chance to mingle.

"I find the biggest rewards in the little things," Jen explains. "I will send a card to Lillie, and I might not hear anything back from her, but then she takes me to the mailbox with her when I visit because she knows I send her letters. Just the fact that I am there means a lot to her."

In November of 2001, while Jen was serving as director of the chapter, Lebanon Valley College was honored with a visit from Shriver himself, who flew in to celebrate the chapter's seventh anniversary at an event held at Kreiderheim. "It was really cool," she says. "I have seen him in videos and brochures and then — he came! Not too many chapters can say that they have had the founder come to their school."



RON GARCIA '02

MAJOR	HOMETOWN
Accounting; economics and business minors	Carmel, New York

WHY HE CHOSE LVC Ron liked the people, liked the size of the campus, and the fact that it was within two or three hours of home. Plus, they had an ice hockey team.

ACTIVITIES Swim team, male captain; Student Athletic Advisory Committee, president; Phi Beta Lambda, treasurer; head resident assistant; Student Judicial Board; Student Alumni Association; Senior Gift Drive; accounting tutor; roller hockey; intramural sports

PROUDEST MOMENT AT LVC "During the last home swim meet, each member of the team came up to me, gave me a hug and thanked me for being a great leader. It really made me feel proud to be captain. I would have felt proud without them saying so, but I was proud knowing that I had made as much of an impact on them as they had on me."

Ron Garcia '02 had come to LVC with a goal of playing ice hockey. When that did not work out, he jumped in the pool and started shattering school records. "I was playing hockey, but it wasn't fun," he elaborates. "The assistant swim coach told me I should swim, and I just laughed it off. But one day for fun, I raced the captain of the swim team and I beat him."

The rest, as they say, is history. Ron proceeded to set seven individual school records. Along the way, he had the opportunity to learn from **Coach Mary Gardner,** whom he describes as "an awesome woman."

"Coach Gardner has done so much for LVC," he adds. "She took the team from 12 to 60 people, and our record keeps improving. She puts her heart into it. The swim team is like a big family."

Ron's real claim to fame on campus may be what happened when Coach Gardner casually remarked that he was in such good shape he could probably ride his bike from New York to Annville. He took the dare. Riding 80–100 miles each day and staying with friends, he made the trip in four days and showed up on Coach Gardner's doorstep. This amazing trip came on the heels of another display of physical fitness. Ron and a friend canoed over 100 miles down the Delaware River in two-and-one-half days — a trip that experts told him would take over a week.

As Ron embarks on life after the Valley, he says his true ambition is to work with people. In the future, he wants to be a teacher or a full-time coach, and he knows it is the people at LVC he will miss the most. "The professors know what is going on around campus and recognize what you are doing," he notes. "They care about academics, but they also ask about sports and your personal life. I saw **Dr. [Howard] Applegate** [professor *emeritus,* history] on campus recently, and he remembered exactly whom I sat next to in his class. Even the cafeteria ladies know who I am and what I like to eat. There is just a nice, homey feeling here."

HEATHER ROBINO IS A DOWNINGTON-BASED FREELANCE WRITER.

Hit the Ground Writing

BY LORI MYERS

LVC's First-Year Seminars (FYS 100) will begin in fall 2002 with an exciting array of eight thought-provoking, three-credit courses devised by professors within various departments, who were asked to step outside of their academic disciplines and come up with intriguing topics. Each seminar, capped at 16 students per class, was created as an interesting way to teach writing. "Seventy-one percent of American colleges offer something like these first-year seminars aimed specifically at freshmen," says **Dr. Gary Grieve-Carlson**, professor of English and director of general education. "It's an introduction to the kind of learning going on in college. If I were a freshman, I'd be excited."

Planning for the program began about a year ago after **Dr. Stephen MacDonald,** vice president for academic affairs and dean of the faculty, brought the idea to Grieve-Carlson's attention. The General Education Advisory Group prepared a proposal that was sent to the curriculum committee. It then was presented to LVC's entire faculty where there was "substantial discussion" according to Grieve-Carlson. "It was a big departure from what we had been doing," he says.

"We are going to offer the seminars for the next three fall semesters and then perform an evaluation."

Grieve-Carlson admits that there was "concern and excitement" on the part of faculty members when the program proposal was introduced — concern about not lessening the importance of English 111 and excitement about the potential of the seminars and their extraordinary benefits for first-year students. The fact that both English 111 and the seminars will have writing as their central goal alleviated those concerns.

First-year students who must fulfill the communications component of the General Education program will now have a choice between English Communications I (ENG 111) or a seminar. No matter which option students choose, both courses will be writing intensive and both will prepare students to go on to English 112. "Learning to write college-level prose not only happens in English 111, but it happens in political science, biology and across the curriculum," Grieve-Carlson explains. "I hope that the kind of energy happening in the seminars will carry over to other classes."

Grieve-Carlson will use his interest in history to lead one of the seminars, titled **Truth, Lies and History: Telling Stories About the Past**. The course will answer questions such as "When two historians disagree about the meaning of an event, can they both be right?" and "If history tells the truth about something like the Battle of Gettysburg, why do historians keep writing new histories of that battle?" Grieve-Carlson, who taught similar seminars while at Virginia Tech and Boston University, will have students read two historians, a novelist and a playwright, whose work raises these types of questions. Participants will focus on the Greco-Persian Wars, a case of mistaken identity in a small French village, the My Lai massacre during the Vietnam War and the Salem witchcraft trials.

"This seminar will recognize that a conversation is going on, and students will learn how to join it," he says. "It is also about learning the language. I want them to show me that they understand the critics. Do they agree with the critics? Why or why not?"

Grieve-Carlson says that the seminar he has created and will teach this fall has personal meaning. It is a topic he has written about, and the questions he will be asking students are the very questions he has thought about for a long time. "We tell ourselves we can't change the past, yet we are constantly rewriting the past," he remarks. "We will never get at the final truth, but we should not stop trying. This is where our identity comes from."

Other faculty members are as enthused as Grieve-Carlson about the prospect of taking their freshman students on this creative journey called First-Year Seminars.

The Rev. Timothy Dewald, coordinator of academic advising and community programs, says that the seminar he will be teaching, called **Great Books Everyone Has Heard of But Few Have Read**, will be fun. Students will read and discover Einstein's *Theory of Relativity*, Darwin's *Origin of Species* and the New Testament books of Luke and Acts. Students will explore their meanings and how they relate to the present day, as well as offer a broad perspective in the areas of math, physics, biology and religion.

"Luke and Acts encompass religion, philosophy, history and political science," Dewald says. "We will use that to talk about the problems between ethnic groups and how well we are doing now. My goal is to have students read the primary text and become healthy thinkers. I want them to read and think creatively and critically. I want them to appreciate their own ideas."

Although Dewald describes Darwin's book as "very readable and a real triumph of human insight," he will be taking students outside of the classroom to generate even more thought and discussion about Darwinian theory. First-year students who choose this seminar will take a field trip to a site near Swatara Creek Park where there are fossils that are "405 million years old," he says. "I want them to see that for themselves. One of the things that Darwin looked at was the fossil record — that reflects what Darwin had to say."

Barbara Vlaisavljevic, associate dean of the faculty, will use her extensive travel experience to lead a seminar on the traveler's mindset. **Out and Away: Travels through the United States, Italy, Afghanistan and the Pacific** will investigate the growth that occurs when people study, live or work abroad. Emotional, cultural and personal changes experienced by travelers will be explored, as well as how travelers confront those changes. The seminar will also look at how family, religion and politics shape a traveler's perspective.

Vlaisavljevic, who works with the study-abroad program and has lived in such distant locales as Geneva, London and Curaçao in the Netherlands Antilles, knows firsthand the emotional and cultural growth that takes place when American-born citizens have an extended stay in a foreign land. "Ninety percent of high school seniors plan to study abroad, but less than 10 percent actually do it," she explains. "The reason may be fear, financial concerns, parental pressure or they may feel that their studies are too rigid."

TOP: Dr. Henry Wilson teaches at the Quittie. BOTTOM: Dr. Gary Grieve-Carlson oversees the first-year seminars.

TOP: Barbara Vlaisavljevic, Esq., will teach a seminar on personal growth through travel.
BOTTOM: The Rev. Timothy Dewald searches for fossils with students.

Vlaisavljevic chose texts such as *A Walk Across America* by Peter Jenkins, *The Water in Between* by Kevin Peterson and *An Unexpected Light* by Jason Elliot that underscore how those who travel change. "I found a terrific movie, *Kandahar,* that I hope to have the students see," she adds. "Depending on the group, I might take them to New York City and into some of the neighborhoods and have them eat exotic food. It will be eye-opening for the class."

The creative musings of scientist Jacob Bronowski, economist E. F. Schumacher, composer Leonard Bernstein and philosopher Irwin Edman will be the focus of another seminar, titled **The Creative Mind**, led by **Dr. Mark Mecham,** chair and professor of music. Mecham, who also has a background in political science, plans on proving to students that creativity is not limited to just the arts. "You bring the creative mind to any task," he says. "I want to show what each of these folks brought to creative thought and that at the root of all creative activity is a lot of work."

The seminar will also include conversations about T. S. Eliot's "Four Quartets" and its relationship to *The Last String Quartets* of Beethoven. "I am really excited about this program," Mecham remarks. "It gives me the option to do something out of the ordinary. For me, it is a new kind of challenge."

OTHER SEMINARS BEING OFFERED:

The Mind: Dr. J. Noel Hubler, associate professor of religion and philosophy, will have students question the definition of "mind" and "consciousness" in his seminar. Students will explore both historical and contemporary answers to what the mind is and how it works, as well as look at their own personal experiences to come up with their own answers.

Heroes, Villains and Outlaws: American Movies and American Myths: This seminar, led by **Dr. Stephen MacDonald,** vice president for academic affairs and dean of the faculty, will examine American films and big screen characters such as gangsters, soldiers, athletes, lovers, killers, cowboys and the girls next door. Students will view classic films, read novels and plays that became movies, and read critical and scholarly essays that analyze how movies affect and shape our own experiences.

Money and Power: Business People in America: How people get, lose and keep their money will be the focal point of this seminar taught by **Dr. Leon Markowicz,** professor of business administration. Grieve-Carlson promises that students attending Markowicz's class will "think about money and business in a reflective, critical and different way than students taking a marketing course. It will reflect on what businesses do," he says.

The Nature of Nature: Writing about the 'Great Outdoors': Dr. Henry Wilson, director of the Writing Center and assistant professor of English, will take students on a literary hike through the world of books. This seminar will examine different views of nature as expressed in a range of modern literature including fiction, non-fiction and poetry. The course will compare those definitions along with contemporary, changing views of the concept.

Grieve-Carlson is thrilled with the interesting range of topics being offered to first-year students, who are filled with anticipation and a bit of nervousness as they enter LVC's campus. "I want these students to be excited about what it means to be in college," he explains. "I want them to be excited about the world of ideas. These will be topics they care about because these will be topics they choose. It will then mean something when they write about them." ☼

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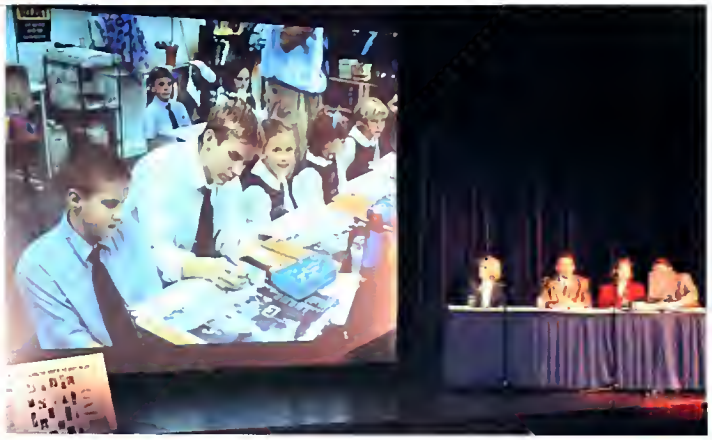
MBA STUDENTS DEVELOP MARKETING PLAN FOR LEBANON CATHOLIC SCHOOL

By Barbara Miller

Last summer, a class project was transformed into a 10-week marketing mission for 13 graduate students in Lebanon Valley College's master of business administration program. Professor **Gene Veno's** marketing management class took on the task of developing a marketing plan for Lebanon Catholic School to increase enrollment, reduce its deficit and boost its image in the community.



MBA STUDENTS (L. TO R.) Kathleen Harrison, Michael Welsh, Jennifer Guimond and Hank Jacobs present the marketing plan for Lebanon Catholic during a public session on December 11, 2001.

With the closing of Our Lady of the Valley elementary school last August, Lebanon Catholic switched from a junior-senior high school to a K-12 program. As a result, the school was trying to overcome negative publicity and attract students to ensure its existence in years to come.

Lebanon Catholic became the MBA students' "laboratory" in which to apply real business concepts, but the class never lost sight of the fact that there were real students, parents and teachers involved in this project.

"The bottom line was there were kids involved who were in danger of losing their school," said MBA student **Jeff Mason,** a manager of information technology audits at Hershey Food Corp. "We were on a mission, and we would not settle for less than a top-notch effort," he added.

Veno said his students "had real-time exposure to a serious situation. This was not a softball project. They were faced with the survival of Lebanon Catholic."

The project was initiated after Lebanon Catholic contacted **Bob Leonard,** LVC Business Department chair. "We were looking for guidance on how to proceed with our merger," said John Deamer, director of development at Lebanon Catholic. "This has been a great gift ...We need this type of help to get us through this first year, our biggest challenge."

Veno said the assignment was "a major undertaking" for his graduate students, who accepted it "with enthusiasm and a sense of urgency" even though they all had professional careers to manage as well.

Because they met only once a week for four to five hours over a 10-week period at Lancaster General Hospital, the class had to focus and work closely, said graduate student **Kathleen Harrison.**

"I think it made for a very interesting class," remarked Harrison, who works as administrative director of clinical laboratories at Lancaster General Hospital. "It was challenging at times," she said. "The class was putting in many extra hours, but there was immense enthusiasm on both sides. The class was excited, and everyone's talents came out. We were looking at a school that had great potential."

Veno described Lebanon Catholic as "a diamond in the rough," citing aspects that "jump out" for promotion, such as a 15:1 student-teacher ratio.

Assignments were divided among marketing class members with teams to research Catholic school systems nationally, study demographics and develop a strategic plan, establish a marketing action plan, complete a financial analysis and develop a budget, and prepare promotional materials.

Class member **Jennifer Guimond** of Lancaster, who is the clothing operation manager at the Milton Hershey School, interviewed current Lebanon Catholic students. "I got a good feeling from talking to the kids, which I conveyed to the rest of my MBA class, and this helped generate even more enthusiasm for the project," she said.

"Proud, happy and excited" was the reaction of Deacon Richard Wentzel to the presentation; he is administrator of Lebanon Catholic School. The class provided "a wealth of information we need to use, and we need to use it effectively," he said.

Randy Hoffman, a Lebanon Catholic parent and school board member, estimated it would have cost $20,000 to $30,000 to hire someone to do a study such as the one Professor Veno's class did for free. "It was a big boost for the school at a time when we were in a unique situation," Hoffman said.

"The future is bright," Wentzel exclaimed. "I know we all want Catholic education to succeed in this county. We just have to show the diocese that we can be responsible stewards."

"It's nice to see people care this much, especially the LVC students who took this on," said Greg Becker, student council president at Lebanon Catholic. "We hope we see these ideas manifested in tangible improvements."

Members of Professor Veno's Marketing Management class gather after their presentation at LVC. They include (L. to R.) Mark Lloyd, Taura Thompson, Brian Mell, Kathy Harrison, Hank Jacobs, Jennifer Guimond, Sean Killen, Gretchen Houser, Ben Atwater, Larry Gillham, Michael Welsh, Faith Delp and Jeff Mason.

The MBA class found its work to be not only meaningful, but also appreciated. "You feel what you're doing is contributing to the community as well as being a pretty interesting way to learn about marketing," explained Mason.

Veno said the project provided an "excellent component" of graduate level education. He has involved his classes in smaller marketing studies for local businesses in the past. Other LVC business classes have been involved in projects at Laudermilch Meats, A/K Computers and Butler Manufacturing, among others.

"Students gain an immeasurable level of experience when they are challenged to develop solutions for businesses in their community. This project will serve as a model for future class projects/assignments, especially those that are focused on local businesses in need of market consultations," Veno said.

"I am very proud of my students. They went well beyond my expectations. There was just a certain level of commitment," Veno said, adding that he saw growth in each student in the class.

Veno said he believes LVC will do more projects with Lebanon Catholic in the future. "It is a great resource — it is a science lab for marketing. Where else can you get that kind of opportunity? It is a phenomenal way to learn. I think a lot of my students had not had that depth of experience before.

"It is an excellent way to give back to the community and for Lebanon Valley College to showcase student talents in the business field. Hopefully, more local businesses will see the value in this level of service," Veno said.

He also credited LVC for providing support to the project, and said **Andy Greene** and **Mike Bodan**, department of media services; **Cheryl Batdorf,** assistant director of the MBA program; and **Dr. Jim Scott**, professor of German, were particularly helpful.

"LVC is pleased to promote collaborations of this type," said **Dr. Stephen MacDonald,** vice president for academic affairs and dean of the faculty at the College, who noted that both the College and Lebanon Catholic face similar challenges. Both, he said, need to find their niche, overcome obstacles, such as limited resources, and still produce a high quality product.

The MBA class members receive Lebanon Catholic's newsletters, and are following the school's progress. At Lebanon Catholic, implementation of the MBA students' work is taking place, Deamer said. Postcards are being mailed to homes in areas the class identified as fertile sources of future students. Included on the postcard is a photo of a young student with the headline, "What I learn depends on where I learn."

Commenting on the school's strengths, Deamer noted, "They told us we offer a distinctive education, and we have to sell it that way."

The school is also making greater use of parish churches to disseminate information about the school, and has prepared new radio and cable television commercials.

The MBA class also suggested that Lebanon Catholic encourage companies to donate scholarship funds, now eligible for a state tax deduction. The school has already received a $50,000 gift based on this program.

"I thank you guys for fighting for Lebanon Catholic, attacking this task with enthusiasm, heart and soul. You never lost focus," Deamer told the class. ✲

Barbara Miller is a staff writer for *The Patriot News*.

CLASS NEWS & NOTES

PRE-'30s

DEATHS

Retired educator HELEN LONGENECKER TILTON '26 died September 1, 2001, in Massachusetts at 98 years of age. Helen was an accomplished organist who at one time performed extensively as both a soloist and as part of chamber groups from Annville to Boston.

MYRA SHEAFFER WHITE '27 died December 27, 2001, in York, Pa., at the age of 95. A teacher for 35 years, Myra taught Latin and French at West York Area High School and Central York High School. She was a 50-year member of The Yorktown chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution.

'30s

NEWS

HELEN H. SHEARER '30 is a resident of Berks Phoebe Village in Wernersville, Pa.

SAMUEL D. ULERICH, M.D., '33 is "still enjoying the grass and not the roots!"

After serving 40 years as a minister, the REV. DR. C. WILLARD FETTER '35 is enjoying retirement at Lely Palms Senior Living Community in Naples, Fla.

DEATHS

MARY BLANCHE COCHRAN '30 died October 25, 2001, in Lititz, Pa., at the age of 92. Mary taught school for 39 years and coached girl's basketball and tennis. In 1985, she was inducted into LVC's Athletic Hall of Fame.

RUTH COOPER SANFORD '30 died November 28, 2001, just shy of her 95th birthday. In 1968, Ruth was one of eight LVC graduates to receive the first annual Alumni Citation award given for outstanding achievement.

Former teacher CHRISTINE GRUBER KREIDER '34 died August 13, 2001, in Lancaster, Pa., at 88 years of age. Christine was an active member of Hamilton Park United Church of Christ, serving on the Consistory and the Altar Guild. She was the mother of KRISTINE KREIDER LYNES '63 and the sister of JANE GRUBER SEIVERLING '43.

DR. JOHN J. B. LIGHT '34 died September 23, 2001, in Lebanon, Pa., at the age of 86. He had a general practice in Lebanon, Pa.

CHARLES J. MEYER '34 died September 20, 2001, in Austin, Texas, at 90 years of age. He was the former president of Wallis & Harney Circus, Inc.

Former physician and mayor of Lebanon, Pa., DR. RICHARD D. SCHREIBER '34, died October 3, 2001, in Lebanon at the age of 88. He was an active member of Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church having participated in the senior choir and men's chorus.

ANNE BUTTERWICK GILBERT '35 died September 18, 2001, in Cornwall, Pa., at 88 years of age.

RICHARD L. HUBER '36 died on December 24, 2001.

Retired schoolteacher CHRISTINE SMITH SCHEIRER '36 died November 23, 2001, in Lancaster, Pa., at the age of 86. She was the widow of ROBERT L. SCHEIRER '35 who died February 23, 2000.

ROBERT B. TROXEL '36 died September 11, 2001, in Florida at the age of 87. Robert served in the Army Air Corps during World War II. He was Pennsylvania's state botanist for eight years and an agricultural consultant for Lebanon (Pa.) Chemical Co. for 35 years.

SYLVIA H. MESSERSCHMIDT '37 died January 27, 2002, in Lebanon, Pa., at the age of 84. An English teacher for 24 years in both Lancaster and Lebanon counties, Sylvia was the widow of H. EDGAR MESSERSCHMIDT '37, who died May 17, 2001.

PAULINE YEAGER RICHIE '37 died August 9, 2001.

WALTER P. FRIDINGER '38 died June 30, 2000, at 86 years of age.

'40s

NEWS

HAZEL FORNOFF DETAMBEL '44 and her husband, DR. MARVIN H. DETAMBEL '47, have moved to Capital Manor, a continuing care retirement community located in Salem, Ore. Hazel and Marvin regularly perform on violin and piano at recital programs and various social events.

During the fall 2001 semester, DOROTHY LANDIS GRAY, PH.D., '44 taught voice at the Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C.

SAMUEL E. STEIN '44 is a retired dentist. After graduating in 1950 from the dental school at Temple University in Philadelphia, Pa., he went on to serve in Korea as a member of the U.S. Army and later joined the Army Reserves.

Playing golf and pinochle, and raking leaves, are just a few of the things that DR. MILES D. HARRIGER '47 enjoys in his retirement.

The mayor and city council of Washington, D.C., were among those who honored the REV. FRANKLIN G. SENGER III '48 on the 50th anniversary of his ordination. He is the pastor of the Lutheran Church of the Holy Comforter in Washington.

DEATHS

A. CARL HERMAN '40 died June 16, 2001, at 83 years of age. He was the husband of JOSEPHINE ERNST HERMAN '41, who died on November 20, 2001, in Marion, N.C., at the age of 81. Carl was a psychologist and Josephine was a registered nurse.

World War II veteran ALFRED E. STEVENS '42 died October 6, 2001, in Newport Richey, Fla., a day after his 85th birthday.

Former journalist JOHN H. BAER '45 died July 26, 2001, in Harrisburg, Pa., at the age of 89. John retired in 1978 as director of the news service division in the Bureau of Public Education for the state Welfare Department. Previously he had been a *Patriot News* correspondent for 19 years.

DR. CARL L. DERR '47 died January 23, 2002, in Reading, Pa., at the age of 78. Retired from the Berks County Intermediate Unit as associate supervisor of special education, Carl was an Army Air Force veteran of World War II.

MARION SCHADE STAUFFER '47 died December 26, 2001, in Lebanon, Pa., at 76 years of age. She was a professional organist and a former elementary music teacher.

Retired Lebanon School District teacher EARL F. KAUFFMAN '49 died October 1, 2001, in Lebanon, Pa., at the age of 74. Earl, a Navy veteran, was the father of BETH KAUFFMAN JORDON '79.

Chemist RUSSELL I. STEINER, PH.D., '49 died September 27, 2001, in West Reading, Pa., at the age of 74. Russell was the former vice president and director of research and development for Crompton & Knowles.

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Gibraltar, Pa. He held many patents, including one for Red #40, a dye used primarily for food coloring.

'50s

NEWS

In July 2001, FLOYD M. BATURIN '50 participated in the bicentennial celebration of the founding of the Marine Barracks in Washington, D.C., "the oldest post in the Corps."

After teaching at the Central American Theological Seminary in Guatemala for 35 years, DR. PAUL D. LOWERY '52 is now an adjunct professor at Lancaster Bible College in Pennsylvania.

Baseball enthusiast EDWARD H. WALTON '53 had four articles published this past season in the *Boston Red Sox Score Card* magazine and traveled to Arizona to visit the Diamondbacks' ballpark.

JOAN ECKENROAD KIRK '56 is a pianist with the 60 +/– Chamber Music Ensemble at the Jenkintown branch of the Settlement Music School of Philadelphia.

Retiring after 32 years as a professor at Hope College in Holland, Mich., JOAN C. CONWAY '57 is the artistic director of the Chamber Music Festival of Saugatuck. She is a member of the Holland Symphony board of directors and performs in concert series at Holland's Herrick District Library.

Organist *Emerita* JEANNE WINTER NOLL '57 retired after 34 years as the organist and choir director of St. Paul's United Church of Christ in Fleetwood, Pa.

JAMES D. LAVERTY JR. '58 is the associate publisher and vice president of marketing for *Pennsylvania Business & Technology Digest*, a magazine that had its debut in November 1999.

PETER P. MCEVOY '58 is a self-employed real estate consultant and developer in Monroeville, N.J.

DEATHS

Retired DuPont chemist GEORGE W. BARTELS JR. '50 died in September 2001 at the age of 73. George was the husband of Helen MacFarland Bartels '51.

ANNA L. KETTERING '50 died October 31, 2001, in Annville, Pa., at 87 years of age. Anna was a former missionary who served in Africa for over 25 years.

Three Generations at LVC

(L. TO R.) Marcy Douglass '81, Ariel Douglass Devine '05, Dr. Jacquie Douglass '57 and Henry G. Douglass '58 visited campus recently.

Bronze Star and Purple Heart recipient HARRY A. FOX JR. '51 died December 19, 2001, in Hershey, Pa., at the age of 75. He was an Army veteran of World War II and was a participant in the Battle of the Bulge. Harry had been a senior research chemist for the former AMP Inc., and he invented the memory cores in the Gemini spacecraft's computers.

SARA ARBEGAST KELLER '51 died August 26, 2001, in Campbelltown, Pa., at the age of 84. Sara was a retired registered nurse who had worked at both the Hershey Medical Center and the Harrisburg Hospital.

Former LVC trustee (1981-1986) the REV. W. RICHARD KOHLER '51 died September 4, 2001, at 72 years of age. He was the father of MICHAEL R. KOHLER '80 and JENNIFER KOHLER FULLENLOVE '04, support staff member for the department of business administration and a current LVC student.

Dentist MICHAEL G. PALAZZO '52 died June 13, 2001, at the age of 71.

CHARLES F. BLAICH '53 died March 22, 2000.

Retired educator RICHARD E. SCHWANG '53 died September 5, 2001, in Chambersburg, Pa., at 73 years of age. He was a World War II veteran, having served in the Air Force.

WILLIAM H. KELLY '54 died December 28, 2001, in Towson, Md., at the age of 69. He was the owner of Computer Assistance Inc. and, along with his brother and father, owned and operated the Leonard Granite Company in Chambersburg, Pa. Bill was the husband of ALICE DANIELS KELLY '54.

WILLIAM R. MINNICH '57 died October 19, 2001, in Deep Gap, N.C., at the age of 69. A Navy veteran of the Korean War, William was a former social studies teacher in the Cornwall-Lebanon (Pa.) School District and a retired UniServe representative for the Pennsylvania State Education Association.

'60s

NEWS

Vocalist RONALD L. DIETZ '60 is the board president and baritone soloist with Jubilate!, a vocal ensemble performing throughout the Camp Hill, Gettysburg, York and Hanover areas of Pennsylvania. He also performs with Hanover's Eichelberger Chorale and the York Symphony Chorus and Chamber Singers. Ron, along with his wife, Rochelle, directs the Bethlehem United Methodist Church choir in Dallastown, Pa.

Michigan State University in East Lansing has named DR. HIRAM E. FITZGERALD '62 as its assistant provost for university outreach. He is a distinguished professor in the department of psychology and director of Interdepartmental Graduate Specializations in Applied Developmental Science at Michigan State. He also serves as executive director of the World Association for Infant Mental Health.

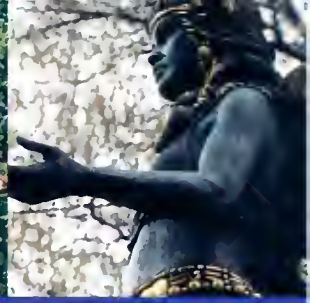
In July 2001, GUY E. STAMBACH '62 retired after 38 years in education/counseling. He and his wife, MARENA COLGAN STAMBACH '65, now reside in Bradford, Mass.

SANDRA STETLER STOUFFER '62, who is retired from teaching music in the Lower Merion School District, is involved in property management along with her husband, JOHN J. STOUFFER '60.

JUDITH NICHOLS RENZULLI '63 has retired from practicing law and now enjoys spending time at her family's summer home in the Adirondack Mountains of New York.

KATHRYN S. SKEWIS '63 retired from teaching instrumental music in the Pequea Valley Schools in Lancaster County, Pa. Kathryn is active with Lancaster's Musical Art Society, the American Business Women's Association (ABWA) and church work.

ALUMNI WEEKEND 2002
JUNE 14, 15, 16



FRIDAY, JUNE 14

10 A.M. – 4 P.M.

College Book Store Open
Lower Level, Mund College Center

Noon – 6 P.M.

Registration
Mund College Center

1 P.M.

"Cooking On The Go" Demonstration Cooking Class
West Dining Hall, Mund College Center

1:30 P.M.

Golf Tournament
Fairview Golf Course

3 P.M. – 4:15 P.M.

Tour the LVC Arboretum
Meet in front of Mund College Center

5:30 P.M. – 7:30 P.M.

Class of 1952 Clam Bake
Kreiderheim

6 P.M. – 9 P.M.

Clam Bake and Tent Party
Under the Tent, Social Quad

SATURDAY, JUNE 15

9 A.M. – 2 P.M.

Registration
Mund College Center

9 A.M. – 1 P.M.

College Book Store Open
Lower Level, Mund College Center

10 A.M.

Campus Tours
Meet in front of Mund College Center

Class Photos for '42, '47, '52
Gazebo on Social Quad (beside Mund College Center)

11 A.M.

Awards Ceremony and Recognition Rally
Leedy Theater, Mund College Center

Noon

Carmean Society Annual Luncheon
West Dining Room, Mund College Center

Picnic/B-B-Q Lunch
Under the Tent, Social Quad

Class of 1977 25th Reunion Celebration
Kreiderheim

1:15 P.M.

Class Photographs for '57, '62, '67, '72, '82
Gazebo on Social Quad (beside Mund College Center)

2:30 P.M.

Dedication of the Rex A. Herbert '72 Soccer Field
Soccer Field

3 P.M. – 5 P.M.

Hospitality Tent for Reunion Classes
Social Quad

3 P.M.

Tour of LVC Rose Garden
Meet on the quadrangle side of the Chapel

Alumni Baseball Game
McGill Field

Alumni field hockey and soccer games will be held in fall 2002.

6:30 P.M.

Alumni Reception
Mingle with classmates and meet the characters from our dinner-dance ensemble.
Tent on Social Quad

7:30 P.M. – 10:30 P.M.

Dinner Dance
West Dining Room, Mund College Center

SUNDAY, JUNE 16

8:30 A.M. – 11:30 A.M.

Checkout and Key Drop-off
Lobby, Mund College Center

9 A.M.

Church Service
Annville United Methodist Church

9 A.M. – NOON

Champagne Brunch
Kreiderheim

Lebanon Valley College

Academic and Administrative Buildings

1. *Carnegie Building:* Admission and Financial Aid
2. *Humanities Center and Administrative Offices: Academic Departments* English Department, Foreign Languages Department, History and American Studies Department, Political Science and Economics Department, Religion and Philosophy Department, Sociology and Social Work Department
   Administrative Offices Business Office, Copy Center, Graduate Studies and Continuing Education, Mail Room, Media Services, President, Public Safety, Registrar, Study Abroad, Telephone Services, Vice President and Controller, Vice President and Dean of the Faculty, Vice President for Administration
3. *Blair Music Center:* Music Department, Education Department, Lutz Recital Hall, Music Recording Technology Studios
4. *Miller Chapel:* Chaplain's Office, Chapel, Classrooms
5. *Lynch Memorial Hall:* Art Department and Gallery
6. *Fencil Building:* Art Studios
7. *Garber Science Center:* Biology Department, Chemistry Department, Offices, Emmett C. Roop Management Department Wing, Information Technology Services, Lynch Gymnasium, William H. Lodge Mathematical Sciences Center; renovation scheduled for completion in 2003
8. *Vernan and Doris Bishop Library*
9. *Laughlin Hall:* Alumni Programs, Annual Giving, College Relations, Development, Major Gifts, Planned Giving
10. *Wagner House:* Student Services Office

You have been away too long! Come back to LVC, see the award-winning campus for yourself and join your classmates on campus for Alumni Weekend, June 14-16.

Residential Life Buildings

11. *Allan W. Mund College Center.* Career Services, College Store, Conference Services, Dining Halls, Faust Lounge, Leedy Theater, Student Activities Offices, WLVC Radio, Underground
12. *Mary Copp Green Residence Hall*
13. *Vickroy Residence Hall*
14. *Keister Residence Hall*
15. *Hammond Residence Hall*
16. *Funkhauser Residence Hall*
17. *Marquette Residence Hall*
18. *New Residence Hall:* scheduled for completion in 2002
19. *Silver Residence Hall*
20. *North College Residence Hall*
21. *Shroyer Health Center*
22. *Sheridan Avenue Residence Hall*
23. *Centre Residence Hall*
24. *Student Housing*
25. *Friendship House Residence Hall*
26. *Student Housing*
27. *Derickson Hall A* Student Apartments
28. *Derickson Hall B:* Student Apartments

Athletic and Recreation Facilities

29. *Edward H. Arnold Sports Center:* Indoor Track Physical Education, Intercollegiate Athletics Pool, Recreational Facilities
30. *Heilman Center:* Athletic Training Facilities, Classrooms, Fitness Center, Physical Therapy Program, Wellness Pool
31. *New Gymnasium* scheduled for completion in 2002
32. *Henry and Gladys Arnold Field*
33.–34. *Field Hockey Complex*
35. *Tennis Courts*
37. *Soccer Stadium*
38.–39. *Practice Soccer Fields*
40. *Softball Park*
41. *Rohland Intramural Fields*
42. *Intramural Fields*
43.–44. *Practice Fields*
45.–46. *Future Athletic Fields*

Other Facilities

47. *Suzanne H. Arnold Gallery* Suzanne H. Arnold Art Gallery, Zimmerman Recital Hall
48. *Kreiderheim:* President's Residence
49. *Benjamin Cantor Entrance*
50. *South Campus Entrance*
51. *Bollinger Plaza*
52. *Heating Plant*
53. *Maintenance Shops*
54. *Maintenance Offices*
55. *Frank Ahrens House*
56. *Middle Atlantic Corporation Office*
57. *Allen Theatre and Main Coffeehouse*
58. *Carmean Plaza*
59. *Peace Garden*
60. *Fasnacht Bridge*
61. *Pedestrian Bridge*
62. *Wetlands Environmental Study Area*
63. *Williams Woods*
64. *Annville United Methodist Church*

THE MORE THINGS CHANGE...

Cassandra Hoadley '04, an English communications major and the news editor for *La Vie Collegienne*, recently undertook an informal study of her classmates. She handed out surveys in the Vernon and Doris Bishop Library, the Mund College Center and in one of her classes.

Cassandra asked fellow students, representing every class year, to fill out a survey that mixed both pop culture and Lebanon Valley College lore. Here are some of the results:

Favorite Television Show	Favorite Movie	Favorite Music Style
The Simpsons	*Save the Last Dance*	Rock
Real World	*Gladiator*	Country
7th Heaven	*Cruel Intentions*	Pop
Friends	*Legally Blonde*	Rap
Dawson's Creek	*Shrek*	Christian Contemporary

Most Recent, Non-Required, Book You Have Read	Favorite Cartoon	Biggest Concern
Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone	Scooby Doo	Grades
The Catcher in the Rye	Spongebob Squarepants	Future
A Walk to Remember	The Simpsons	Money
The Lost Boy	Rugrats	Graduate school
Collection of Poe	Bugs Bunny	Dating

Most Interesting Fact You Know About LVC	Favorite Thing About LVC	Favorite First Date
Hot Dog Frank	People	Dinner/movie
Lutz Hall has no right angles	Small size/classes	MJ'S Coffeehouse
Founded in 1866	Fitness center	Bowling
Marquette was a dean	Science program	Miniature golfing
Productive chemical research	Facilities	Four-wheeling

Favorite Campus Hangout	Favorite LVC Tradition
Dorm rooms	Spring Arts Weekend
Dining hall	Winter Formal
Arnold Sports Center	End of spring semester
Garber Science Center	Foam Dance
Chapel lounge	Friday night comedians

A certified massage therapist, ROBERT F. DAIGNEAULT '64 is the owner of BJ's Therapeutic Bodyworks in Belton, Texas.

CHARLES H. MARTIN '64, secretary of the Delaware Valley Regional Planning Committee, was recently elected to the board of directors of the Southeast Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA).

The Food & Drug Administration has promoted FREDERIC J. MARSIK, PH.D., '65 to microbiology team leader for antivirals.

JAMIE G. WESCOTT '65 retired after teaching high school chemistry for 35 years.

THE REV. JAMES W. WEIS '66 has been called by the Delaware-Maryland Synod of the Evangelical Churches in America to work with churches in transition.

THE REV. DONALD B. KITCHELL '67 is the pastor at Life Tabernacle United Pentecostal Church in Gilmer, Texas, and the assistant band director for the Gladewater Independent School District.

The Entomological Society of America presented RAYANNE BEHNEY LEHMAN '67 with the 2001 Distinguished Achievement Award in Regulatory Entomology. Rayanne is an entomologist for the Division of Plant Protection at the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture.

THE REV. GRETCHEN LONG WOODS '67 is the continuing education representative for the Unitarian Universalist Ministers Association. She is also a co-founder and vocal performer with Confluence: The Willamette Valley GALA Mixed Chorus, which is based in Salem, Ore.

KENNETH L. EGGE '68 is an air safety investigator for the National Transportation Safety Board in Washington, D.C.

An electrical engineer with the Lebanon, Pa., firm of Facilities Design, Inc., CARI E. HORNING '68 serves as bishop and overseer of seven Lebanon District Mennonite churches.

The New Hampshire chapter of the American String Teachers Association and the National School Orchestra Association presented MARJORIE MILLER NELSON '68 with the 2001 New Hampshire String Teacher of the Year award.

JANICE KOEHLER RICHARDSON '68 is the chair of the Texas Association of School Librarians.

Religion and philosophy professor DR. FREDERICK "FRITZ" DETWEILER '69 has been named Ameritech Teaching and Learning Mentor and the Teagle Foundation Expert in Residence for technology and pedagogy at Adrian College in Michigan. His recently published book, *Standing on the Premise of God: The Christian Right's Fight to Redefine America's Public Schools* (NYU Press, 1999) is featured on National Public Radio's Justice Talking web page.

The Scottish Rite Council of Deliberation of Pennsylvania presented DALE C. SCHIMPF '69 with their Meritorious Service Award. Dale is the music director of Caldwell Consistory in Bloomsburg, Pa., and the secretary of Frackville Lodge 737, Free and Accepted Masons.

DEATHS

SARAH HAIGLER CORBITT '61 died August 13, 2001, in Hampton, Va.

BUHRMAN G. KEIM '61 died November 1, 2001, in Lebanon, Pa., at 61 years of age. He was a retired quality control and compliance coordinator and associate scientist for Whitehall-Robins Pharmaceutical Research and Development in Hammonton, Pa. Buhrman was the father of LISA KEIM FAGAN '82.

DENIS R. BERNARD '62 died October 23, 2001, in Reading, Pa., at the age of 60. Denis was an Army Veteran of the Vietnam War.

HAROLD F. GILES JR., PH.D., '67 died October 22, 2001, in Wake Forest, N.C., at 56 years of age. He was a research and development engineer for PPG Industries in North Carolina. Holder of 28 U.S. patents, Harold authored the book *Extrusion Topics.*

KIYOFUMI SAKAGUCHI '67 died January 11, 2002, in Japan. He was president and CEO of Prudential International Insurance Group and executive vice president of Prudential Financial.

KATRINKA S. OSBORNE '68 died January 21, 2002, in Roxbury, N.J., at the age of 55. Katrinka served in Malaysia as an English teacher in the Peace Corp after graduation and spent two years as a kindergarten teacher in Florida before returning to New Jersey.

'70s

NEWS

The newest composition by DR. JOHN W. JONES '72 was written to celebrate the 175th anniversary of the Lutheran Theological Seminary in Gettysburg, Pa. "Glory Ridge: A Cantata for the Millennium" premiered at the seminary on September 16, 2001.

CHERYL KIRK NOLL '72 created black and white illustrations for a series of history activity books, *American Kids in History,* for 8- to 12- year-olds. They include "Civil War Days," "Revolutionary War Days" and "Victorian Days."

ROBIN DITZLER RINIER '72 is a first-grade teacher in the Northern Lebanon School District in Fredericksburg, Pa.

CHARLES G. ZERBE '72 started a quality assurance consulting business that specializes in the food industry in Lewisburg, Pa.

GREG J. DETWEILER '73 is the director of choral activities at Morehead State University in New York.

ELIZABETH TODD LAMBERT '73 is the assistant dean for academic programs at Towson University in Maryland.

A research associate for DuPont, DR. DIANE M. SCHOLLER '73 is co-owner of a quilting fabrics and gift shop in Blandon, Pa.

Senior minister of the First Congregational United Church of Christ in Dubuque, Iowa, the REV. DR. KENNETH R. BICKEL '74 is an adjunct professor at the University of Dubuque Theological Seminary for the spring 2002 semester. His wife, the REV. NANCY NELSON BICKEL '75, is the minister of church life at First Congregational UCC. She received the Belva Duncan Award for excellence in ministry.

An oboist with the Loudoun Symphony Orchestra, CRAIG R. HOLLENBACH '74 is senior technical fellow at Northrop Grumman Information Technology in McLean, Va. Craig is also co-author of the software framework Capability Maturity Model Integration (CMMI).

THE REV. MARK A. BURGESS '75 is pastor of St. Mark's United Methodist Church in Smithfield, Va.

Supervisor of the social studies and industrial technology departments for the Warren Hills School District in New Jersey, JOHN G. FENIMORE '75 teaches advanced placement literature and is the high school's head baseball coach.

LAWRENCE E. PRIESTER '76 is the procurement manager for Vought Aircraft Industries Inc. in Dallas, Texas.

In May 2000, JOANNE HARTLINE CONRAD '77 and her husband, Gary, welcomed into their family daughter Amanda Jing from China.

The Lancaster (Pa.) Opera Company named SCOTT G. DRACKLEY '77 as its artistic director. Scott is the choral director at Lancaster Catholic High School and the choir director of St. John's Episcopal Church in Lancaster.

ARBORETUM PROFILE

TULIPS ON TREES AND GOLDEN RAIN

BY DR. SUSAN VERHOEK

Do tulips grow on trees? Well, with imagination honed at LVC by thought-provoking professors, anything seems possible. If you look high into the tops of two big trees in the Arboretum, you can indeed see tulips. But of course, you have to begin by looking at tuliptrees! (Ahhh, even imagination is rooted in an element of reality.)

These trees rejoice in the scientific name *Liriodendron tulipifera,* which translates as "lily-tree tulip-bearing." The flowers really do have the shape and size of tulips. In June, the "tulips" stand upwards from the ends of small branches high in the sunny parts of the tree. From the ground, they appear as light green cups with an orange blotch at the base of each petal, as garden tulips sometimes have. But if you are lucky enough to look into the face of a tuliptree flower, you can see that the closest relatives of tuliptrees are really magnolias. You will see a central cone of separate sections that contain the seeds, much like the ones in *Magnolia.* The tuliptrees in the Arboretum are on the east side of Lynch and the east side of Blair Music Center, near College Avenue.

Stand under a golden rain tree in the Social Quad at bloom time in June, and you and your imagination can be showered with small golden bits from above. When the petite flowers are mature, the bright yellow petals begin to fall. Since the flowers are numerous on large branching inflorescences, the falling petals do look as if they are raining down. This golden show is a summertime thing. Through the fall and winter, the branches hold pointed, papery brown pods that surround the fruits. On campus landscape maps, this tree is labeled *Koelreuteria paniculata.*

English teacher ANNE EHRHART-BOCIAN '77 is in her 22nd year at Lower Dauphin High School in Hummelstown, Pa.

TIMOTHY A. JENKS '77 is listed in the 2001 *Who's Who Among American Teachers.*

In his 24th year of teaching elementary instrumental music, KEITH A. SYMONS '77 is organist and children's choir accompanist for his church near Hamburg, Pa.

RONALD R. AFFLEBACH '78 is the director of human resources for Charleston County in South Carolina.

GREGORY A. HILT '79 is a Unix systems engineer for Computer Sciences Corporation in Rocky Hill, Conn.

KRISTEN SHOWALTER '05, daughter of ROBERT L. SHOWALTER '79, is a LVC first-year student majoring in music education. She is a recipient of both the Vickroy and Carmean scholarships.

DEATHS

JERRY W. SOLOMON '72 died December 18, 2000.

Retired educator DOROTHY HEISER THOMASCO '72 died August 15, 2001, in Lebanon, Pa., at 86 years of age. She was a teacher at Northwest Elementary School in the Lebanon School District.

JOHN G. RUDIAK '73 died October 27, 2000. John was the brother of NELSON J. RUDIAK '76.

'80s

NEWS

On May 23, 2001, JOHN S. CHAMPLIN '80 and his wife, Melissa, welcomed twins Jay and Anna into their family.

DAVID C. GORMAN '80, the district attorney of Blair County, Pa., and his wife, DR. KIM FOSTER-GORMAN '82, welcomed son Christopher Sean into their family on August 20, 2000.

BRUCE D. HENNING '80 is stability and raw materials manager at Bayer Corporation in Myerstown, Pa.

THOMAS A. BOWERS '81 coordinates a volunteer HOSTS mentor program for A. I. Dupont Middle School in Greenville, Del. He is a customer satisfaction manager for MBNA America's insurance department located in Wilmington and a part-time real estate appraiser with Lorenz Associates.

BEVERLY COONEY CAMPBELL '81 is the vice president for client services for Metris Companies, a provider of financial services and products, in Minnetonka, Minn.

Former North Carolina Teacher of the Year KIMBERLY HILLMAN HUGHES '82 was elected to the governing board of the National Association for the Education of Young Children, an organization dedicated to promoting excellence in early childhood education. Kim is a pre-kindergarten teacher at Fox Road Elementary School in Raleigh.

The U.S. Navy recently awarded MAUREEN J. MILLS '82 the master skipper qualification, the Navy's highest recognition for command-at-sea. The "E Qual" certifies that an individual is qualified to skipper a large sailing vessel in any condition, at any time day or night, while racing offshore. A volunteer coach with the Naval Academy's varsity offshore sailing team in Annapolis, Md., Maureen has logged 6,500 miles of ocean sailing with 3,500 of those miles racing. She has had class wins in the Marion (Mass.) to Bermuda race and the Annapolis (Md.) to Newport (R.I.) race.

On September 22, 2001, WILLIAM N. CAMPBELL JR. '83 and his wife, THERESA MARTIN CAMPBELL '88, welcomed a third daughter, Janice Maria, into their family.

MICHAEL J. GALLAGHER, PH.D., '83 is an associate professor of accounting at Defiance College in Ohio.

DR. CLIFFORD L. LEAMAN '83, associate professor of saxophone at the University of South Carolina in Columbia, performed the world premiere of Leslie Bassett's *Concerto for alto saxophone and orchestra* at the XIII World Saxophone Congress in Montreal, Canada, last July and released a CD, *Brilliance*, on the Equilibrium label.

CAREY WENNER ROGERS '83 is a decorator for Accent Your View in Garner, N.C.

ROBERT L. DOWD '84 is vice president of Travelex Global Payments in Millersville, Md. Robert is the husband of JENNIFER LEE DOWD '87.

Massage therapist HOLLY HANAWALT GAINOR '84 graduated from the Alternative Conjunction Clinic and School of Massage Therapy in Lemoyne, Pa., and received her certification in massage therapy in August 2001. Holly is the pianist/organist for Young's United Methodist Church in Mechanicsburg.

JOSEPH J. MORRISON JR. '84 is the executive director for the Interfaith Housing Development in Bristol, Pa.

In April 2001, CYNTHIA NOLT-HELMS '84 and her husband, Gregory, welcomed daughter Clara Ruth into their family. Cynthia is the assistant center director for water in the National Center for Environmental Research within the Office of Research and Development of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency in Washington, D.C.

TAMMY K. ROWE '84 is a biologist for the National Center for Research Resources at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Md.

DR. LORI B. WAGNER '84 is the executive director of marketing and sales at Pierce College in Philadelphia, Pa.

ROBERT MUIR III '85 has his own law practice in Stanhope, N.J., where he specializes in estate and probate law.

BARBARA NACE WITMER '85 is a teacher in the West Windsor Plainsboro (N.J.) School District. Her husband, DR. MARK R. WITMER '85 is a biochemist at Bristol-Myers Squibb in Princeton, N.J.

Hershey, Pa., freelance writer/editor/proofreader MARIE MONTESANO BOYER '86 and her husband, Dave, welcomed their second child, Margaret Rosalie, into their family on October 29, 2001.

RICHARD P. HOFFMAN '86 is a fifth-grade social studies teacher at Upper Dauphin Area Middle School in Lykens, Pa. His wife, TRACY MONTGOMERY HOFFMAN '88, is a learning support teacher's aide at the same school.

BARBARA DEMORELAND KIRNER '86 is a secretary for TXU Electric in Fort Worth, Texas.

DICKSIE BOEHLER LEWIS '86 is the director and a teacher at Green Valley United Methodist Christian Preschool in Henderson, Nev.

The wedding ceremony of JANELL B. TREXLER '86 and Michael Kallimanis took place August 4, 2001, at the Baleville Congregational Christian Church in Newton, N.J. Janell is a music teacher at High Point Regional High School and Sussex Middle School.

SCOTT A. WIEN '86 and Donna L. Twaits were married recently in the Stanhope United Methodist Church in Morristown, N.J.

JOHN E. COPENHAVER '87 teaches instrumental music at Lebanon (Pa.) Middle School. His wife, LYNLEE REED COPENHAVER '87, is the choral director at Lower Dauphin High School in Hummelstown.

The University of Hartford (Conn.) recently granted tenure to DR. LAURA E. PENCE '87 and promoted her to associate professor in their department of chemistry.

LEROY G. WHITEHEAD JR. '87 is the assistant principal of Stetson Middle School in the West Chester (Pa.) School District. The director of music for the Paoli United Methodist Church, LeRoy also plays drums and keyboard for the band "Past Presents."

On January 6, 2001, STEVEN H. WITMER '87 and his wife, Lynne, welcomed triplets — Maclean Brown, Lauren Steele and Harrison Steven — into their family.

DESMOND J. COFFEY III '88 is a laboratory technical specialist for Dietrich's Milk Products in Reading, Pa.

AMY HAMMERSTONE GOLLUB '88 teaches general music, chorus and string orchestra at Forks Elementary School in Easton, Pa.

ANDREW J. KRALL '88 is a compliance specialist for McNeil Consumer Healthcare in Fort Washington, Pa.

A member of the LVC Alumni Council, JULIE M. MATTHEWS '88 is a full-service broker for Allfirst Brokerage Corporation in York, Pa.

On October 8, 2000, LYDIA NEFF MCCOY '88 and her husband, Thomas, welcomed son Matthew Thomas into their family.

STEVEN J. SMITH '88 is the general manager for Worldwide Flight Services Inc. at the Philadelphia (Pa.) International Airport.

DR. DAVID K. BUSH '89, director of resident life at Drew University in Madison, N.J., received a doctorate in higher education administration, with minors in ethics and policy studies, from the University of Virginia.

DEANA M. CRUMBLING '89 is an environmental scientist for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency in Washington, D.C.

AMY K. EVANS '89 is a senior systems analyst with the Bloomsburg, Pa., division of Geisinger System Services.

On May 2, 2001, REGINA SANTUS FERRUZZA '89 and her husband, J. STEPHEN FERRUZZA '90, welcomed Sophie Rose, their second child, into the family.

As an assistant professor of philosophy at Carroll Community College in Westminster, Md., DONALD C. HOEPFER '89 initiated and organized an October 10, 2001, Ethics Day event, "Responding To Terror: How Can We React to Evil Without Becoming Evil?"

LESLIE A. KELLER, PA-C, '89 recently passed the National Commission on Certified Physician Assistants re-certification exam. Leslie, a member of the Academy of Physician Assistants, is a board certified physician assistant with the Nicholson-Factoryville, Pa., office of Geisinger Medical Group.

RICHARD M. KLENK '89 is assistant vice president and an actuary for Penn Mutual Life Insurance in Philadelphia, Pa.

On March 5, 2001, DR. DAVID P. MYERS '89 and his wife, Nancy, welcomed triplets — Jack, Lauren and Elizabeth — into their family.

MICHAEL J. PULLMAN '89 and his wife, Carol, welcomed their first child, Michael John, into their family on October 9, 2000. Michael is working on a computer systems upgrade project for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in Harrisburg.

DEATHS

DAWN HUMPHREY DRAGO '83 died December 3, 2001, in Reading, Pa., at the age of 40. Dawn was a web page designer for Alive Net in Sinking Spring and a former reporter for the *Lebanon Daily News* and the *Reading Eagle*.

'90s

NEWS

On September 19, 2001, SCOTT A. BARLUP '90 and his wife, Kathy, welcomed son Jared Michael-Russel into their family.

DEANE CHURAN BILLMAN '90 is the head field hockey coach for Albright College in Reading, Pa.

JOHN S. BRENNER '90 was recently elected as mayor of York, Pa.

SUZANNE BOLINSKY FORTNA '90 is a stay-at-home mom for Sarah, Carl and Shawn. Suzanne is married to CARL H. FORTNA, D.V.M., '91.

On January 24, 2001, LYNDA VAN SANT HABEL '90 and her husband, Joseph, welcomed daughter Sarah Elizabeth into their family. Lynda is an assistant teacher at Diamond Nursery School, the only state-licensed facility in Hazelton, Pa.

DR. CAMILLE DECLEMENTI '90 is the manager of medical records and quality control for the ASPCA Animal Poison Control Center in Urbana, Ill.

KEVIN B. DEMPSEY '90 is the president of Philly Counseling Services Inc. in Philadelphia, Pa.

JENNIFER NAUMAN JOHNSON '90 and her husband, William, welcomed their fifth child, Josiah William, into their family on June 15, 2001.

On August 19, 2001, SCOTT A. RICHARDSON '90 and his wife, Heather, welcomed daughter

CONTINUING EDUCATION PROFILE

FINDING OUT THE TRUTH

BY JEFF INTOCCIA '02

DAVID POWERS '01 AND HIS WIFE, GINA (LEFT), MEET KATHY SCHWEIKER, (CENTER), FIRST LADY OF PENNSYLVANIA, AT THE AWARD CEREMONY.

The inscription on the facade of Lebanon Valley College's Vernon and Doris Bishop Library reads, "The Truth Shall Set You Free." What was not etched in stone was a guarantee that **David Powers '01** would graduate from college. After leaving college as a freshman in 1976, it would take Powers 25 years to earn his bachelor of arts degree in English with a concentration in communications.

"I think it is more appropriate for me to say 'The Pursuit of the Truth Shall Set You Free,'" notes Powers. "The finding seems to be in the quest. This was an intensely personal journey."

For Powers, it was a long and intense journey. He had to overcome both mental and physical obstacles to get his degree. He states, "There is a balance of personal life, work responsibilities and studies. The circles adult students move in are quite different from those that traditional students move in every day. Have you ever seen a 40-something pull an 'all-nighter'? Not a pretty sight, especially the next day."

However, Powers would be rewarded for his sacrifice and persistence after attending LVC classes for eight years. Graduating with honors and being inducted into both the Phi Alpha Epsilon and Alpha Sigma Lambda honor societies, Powers was named the 2001 Outstanding Adult Student in Pennsylvania. The award, given annually by the Pennsylvania Association for Adult Continuing Education (PAACE), recognizes the struggle to achieve a college degree, as well as scholastic and academic achievement.

"I was blown away when I heard I had won the award," acknowledges Powers. "I will treasure it always."

When looking back on his journey, Powers emphasizes how older adults pursuing college degrees enhance the classroom experience.

"We fossils do bring many experiences of life to the classroom, which is not intended to diminish the traditional student perspective at all, it is just a different way of obtaining an education," says Powers.

JEFF INTOCCIA '02, AN ENGLISH MAJOR, IS ALSO A SPORTS WRITER FOR *LA VIE COLLEGIENNE*, AN LVC SPORTS INFORMATION ASSISTANT, A PITCHER ON LVC'S BASEBALL TEAM AND A MEMBER OF THE FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES.

Olivia Grace into their family. Heather is LVC's former assistant dean of admission.

CATHERINE WHEELER YEAGLE '90 is a vocal music teacher in the Perkiomen Valley School District in Collegeville, Pa.

DAWN FUNK CLARK '91 is the owner/director of Sonshine Child Care Center Inc. in Cleona, Pa.

The wedding ceremony of ANN M. DIETRICH '91 and C. Thomas Reiner was held recently at Wesley United Methodist Church in Wiconisco, Pa. Ann is an accounting clerk for Credit Plus Solutions Group in Harrisburg.

On January 15, 2002, ANDREW C. HILDEBRAND, ESQ., '91 and his wife, Jennifer, welcomed their third child, Ashton Alexander, into their family. Andrew recently started his own business valuation practice, Hildebrand Consulting Inc., in Douglassville, Pa.

STEPHEN SANGER '91, a member of the special activities committee for the Associated Builders and Contractors Association, organizes the annual construction rodeo to benefit the Make-a-Wish Foundation. Representing the Bobcat line, Stephen is a regional sales representative for Dauphin, Lancaster and Lebanon counties at Highway Equipment & Supply Company of Harrisburg, Pa.

After receiving a doctoral degree in toxicology from the University of Cincinnati College of Medicine on January 11, 2002, DR. ALBERT P. SENFT '91 accepted a post-doctoral fellowship in the Department of Pulmonary Biology at the Children's Hospital Research Foundation in Cincinnati, Ohio.

AMY WATERFIELD WILLS '91 received a master's degree in management from the College of Notre Dame of Maryland and operates a home-based decorating and gift business.

DR. JOSEPH ALIA '92 is a family physician in Phoenix, Ariz., and is in the process of purchasing his own practice.

Capital Blue Cross promoted JOHN C. BOWERMAN '92 to marketing relations consultant in their Harrisburg, Pa., office.

On July 8, 2001, the REV. BYRON E. BROUGHT '92 and his wife, KRISTEN WEBSTER BROUGHT '93, welcomed son Nicholas Andrew into their family.

KEITH W. COPENHAVER '92 is the owner of Monocacy Gardens, LLC, a greenhouse and nursery located in Taneytown, Md.

On August 20, 2001, JAMIE HEINTZELMAN EDELMAN '92 and her husband, Brian, welcomed son Dylan Paul into their family.

ERIKA ALLEN JUCEWICZ '92 and her husband, Tom, welcomed a second daughter, Kira Lynn, into their family in August 2001.

On April 4, 2001, SUSAN LEONARD MCCLAIN '92 and her husband, THOMAS J. MCCLAIN '92, M'95, welcomed son Garrett James into their family.

MICHAEL C. PONTZ '92 is the manager of Atlantic Pacific Mortgage Corporation in Mt. Laurel, N.J.

HEIDI L. RAUENZAHN '92, a laboratory technician at Reading (Pa.) Area Community College, received a master's degree in psychology in December 2001.

An optometrist with The Morrison Associates in Harrisburg, Pa., JAMES W. REIGEL '92 is a member of the Pennsylvania Optometric Society and the American Optometric Society.

LORI K. ROTHERMEL, M.D., '92 is an emergency medicine physician resident at the Geisinger Medical Center in Danville, Pa.

SARAH THOMPSON SMITH '92 is a teacher in the Hershey (Pa.) Middle School.

A web developer for Dana Corporation in Reading, Pa., SHAWN T. SNAVELY '92 performs with "Big Tubba Mista," a Harrisburg-based blues/swing band that played for President Bush during his campaign. Shawn's wife, LORI MOYER SNAVELY '93 received a master's degree in music therapy from Immaculata College in West Chester, Pa. She serves as the handbell director at a church in Kutztown.

KIMBERLY S. SOLLENBERGER '92 and David M. Baldwin were married November 17, 2001, at Allison United Methodist Church in Carlisle, Pa. A student at Shippensburg University, Kimberly is a prevention/intervention specialist with the Cumberland-Perry Drug and Alcohol Commission in Carlisle.

On April 26, 2001, TAWNI NIKLAUS THOMAS '92 and her husband, Mark, welcomed a second daughter into their family. Maura Kate and her sister, Regan, keep Tawni busy as a stay-at-home mom.

In January 2002, DR. DIANE WEST WENGER '92 received a doctoral degree in history from the University of Delaware.

On June 15, 2001, JENNIFER BRAGUNIER WILLIAMS '92 and her husband, ROY E. WILLIAMS II '92, welcomed son Jacob Boyd into their family.

The wedding of SHAWN R. AUMAN '93 and Nicole M. Albright took place on September 15, 2001, in the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament in Altoona, Pa. Shawn is manager of customer support for Siemens in Altoona.

CHARLES W. BLOSS IV '93, a fellow of the Society of Actuaries, and his wife, Kim, welcomed son Drew Thomas into their family in July 2000. Charles is director of actuarial services for Coventry Health Care in Ellicott City, Md.

On January 19, 2001, AMY M. BONSER, PH.D., '93 and MATTHEW P. VALENZISI '93 were married. Amy is pursuing a doctor of veterinary medicine degree from North Carolina State University.

RadioShack Corporation recently promoted STEVEN E. CARPENTER '93 to district manager of 26 stores. He and his wife, JENNIFER MELLOTT CARPENTER '95, have relocated their family to Erie, Pa.

WILLIAM E. DUDLEY '93 is the president of the Maintenance Connection in Ocean Pines, Md.

JERRY W. HOLLINGER '93 is self-employed as a private chef and caterer in Washington, D.C.

CHRISTINA M. KISTLER '93 is the human resource director for M.J. Reider Associates in Reading, Pa.

MARIE E. LANDIS '93 and Glenn L. Wagner Jr. were married on August 4, 2001. Marie is an instructional technologist at Bucknell University in Lewisburg, Pa.

JENNIFER Y. LOWE '93 is an elementary teacher in the Lebanon (Pa.) School District.

MICHAEL A. MILLER '93 and Kristen E. Bickel were married recently at Palm Lutheran Church in Palmyra, Pa. Michael is an assistant manager with Citi-Financial in Camp Hill.

Laurel and Colin Peterson keep their mother, VICKIE DAVIS PETERSON '93, very busy as a stay-at-home mom. Vicki claims, "The hours are long and the 'vacations' are short, but the benefits are the best!"

DENISE SNYDER PETRASIC '93 is a senior microbiologist at Lancaster (Pa.) Laboratories.

JON K. SCAMPTON '93 is a senior network architect at Covisint, LLC, a global, independent e-business exchange for the automotive industry, in Southfield, Mich.

LAURA ETZWEILER STONE '93 is the manager of business applications for Pfizer Inc. in Morris Plains, N.J.

The Assumption of the Blessed Mary Church in Lebanon, Pa., was the setting for the marriage of ROBERT M. ADAMS '94 and Donna Kimmel-Stewart on September 29, 2001. Robert is the operations manager at Hershey Chocolate World.

APRIL LEHMAN BISHOP '94 is the assistant principal for Boonsboro (Md.) Middle School.

A MUDDY COLLEGE AVENUE CIRCA 1918. PHOTO DONATED BY THE DELONG FAMILY.

On October 30, 2001, U.S. Army Cpt. JENNIFER I. BOWER '94 relinquished command of the 25th Transportation Company at Schofield Barracks in Hawaii. As an instructor in the behavioral sciences and leadership department at the United States Military Academy at West Point, she will begin instructing cadets in engineering psychology in 2004.

HEATHER FENNELL BURKER '94 and her husband, Burr, welcomed their second son, Chase, into their family on September 7, 2001. Heather is a stay-at-home-mom to Chase and his big brother, Quinn.

SUSAN R. COHEN '94 and Dean Krom were married on June 9, 2001, in Quantico, Va. Susan is an employee relations specialist for Alliance Mortgage Company in Jacksonville, Fla.

JENNIFER WILLET COYE '94 is a service coordinator for the South Carolina Department of Social Services in Rock Hill.

On May 30, 2001, JENNIFER REEDER DECKER '94 and her husband, Donnie, welcomed son Wyatt Ellis into their family.

REV. DANIEL O. DONMOYER '94 is the pastor of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Felton, Pa.

A May 2001 graduate of the Widener University School of Law in Harrisburg, Pa., JONATHAN M. GRELLA, ESQ., '94 passed the Pennsylvania bar exam in July 2001 and is the associate general counsel for KnowledgePlanet.com Inc., a human capital management solutions company, in their Mechanicsburg, Pa., office.

An LVC adjunct instructor of piano and theory in the Community Music Institute program, KIM KOCH POTOCNY '94 is the organist and handbell choir director at the Annville (Pa.) United Methodist Church.

JODI L. PRICE '94 is an art teacher in the Cornwall-Lebanon (Pa.) School District.

On August 1, 2001, BRIAN C. DAVIS '95 and his wife, RACHELLE KINDIG DAVIS '95, welcomed a son, Matthew Grant, into their family.

ANTHONY J. GEISS '95, a firefighter and EMT for the Indianapolis Fire Department, competed in swimming at the 2001 World Police and Fire Games held in Indianapolis, Ind., last June.

JEFFREY G. KOEGEL '95 wears multiple hats at Scorch Plains-Fanwood High School in New Jersey. In addition to teaching advanced placement computer science and calculus, he also coaches the cross-country, indoor track and spring track teams.

LISA HOLLOWBUSH LITZENBERGER '95 is attending Widener University School of Law in Harrisburg, Pa.

SCOTT A. MONGO '95 is a teacher for the Delran Board of Education in New Jersey.

RICHARD D. RAGNO '95 lives in Pozzuoli, Italy, and is a member of the U.S. Navy's NATO Band.

MARK T. SCHAPPELL, ESQ., '95 and his wife, Shannon, welcomed a daughter, Sydney Lyn, into their family on November 28, 2001. Mark, a part-time assistant district attorney for Lebanon, Pa., is an attorney with the law firm of Sullivan, Snelling & Schappell.

JENNIFER WALLS TIMMERMAN '95 is a fifth-grade teacher for the Cumberland County (N.C.) Schools.

On October 20, 2001, JOSEPH D. DITMER M'96 and Kristina Fields were married at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Elizabethtown, Pa. Joseph is controller of the business unit of Conestoga Wood Specialties in East Earl.

TARA A. HENNING '96 is a fifth-grade teacher for the Indian River School District in Ocean View, Del.

The wedding ceremony of ADAM C. LANDIS '96 and Catherine J. Perucca was held on July 7, 2001, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in York, Pa. Adam is a teacher in the York City School District.

CHRISTINE MELOSKIE KRAUSE '96 is a full-time graduate student at the University of Denver's School of Social Work. Her husband, KRISTOFER A. KRAUSE '96, is a software engineer for CDI in Denver, Colo.

EMEDIO V. MARCHOZZI '96 is a senior analytical chemist for Merck & Co. in West Point, Pa.

ANDREW M. SIMS '96 is a process consultant for Innovative Consulting in Malvern, Pa.

MICHELLE M. WEABER '96 teaches middle school science and history at the Blue Mountain Christian School in Jonestown, Pa.

TINA I. WEIKEL '96 is the area manager for So Fun! Kids in Hershey, Pa.

JOHN M. BLACK '97 is a user interface developer at Synygy Inc. in Conshohocken, Pa., and is working toward an associate of science degree in computer science.

In October 2001, CHRISTIE M. BURGER, PSY.D., '97 received a doctorate in clinical psychology from the Institute of Professional Psychology in Springfield, Mont. She is serving a postdoctoral fellowship in neuropsychology at the Children's Hospital in Philadelphia, Pa.

DR. ANTHONY P. BURKE '97 is a physician at St. Francis Medical Center in Pittsburgh, Pa.

On October 6, 2001, TENNEIL L. DANIELS '97 and Joshua R. Moody were married at the South Carolina Botanical Gardens in Clemson.

On July 7, 2001, CORRINA L. DOERGE '97 and Thomas Smith were married at the Vanderbilt Museum in Centerport, N.Y. Corrina is the band director at Woodhull Intermediate School and director of the Huntington Multi-Generation Community Band, both in Huntington, N.Y.

ANA PREWITT-RODRIGUEZ FARR '97 and her husband, John, welcomed a son, John Sebastian, into their family on September 29, 2001.

DANIELLE HOMBERG HOY '97 is a graphic designer for Clipper Magazine Inc. in Mountville, Pa.

AMY E. LESSER '97, a behavioral specialist consultant in children's mental health for Keystone Services Systems in Sunbury, Pa., received a master's degree in clinical psychology from Millersville (Pa.) University.

THOMAS C. MCCARTY '97 is vice president of sales (Pennsylvania) for The Progressive Sales and Marketing Co. Inc. in Willow Street, Pa.

THOMAS L. MCCURDY SR. '97 is a realtor affiliated with Coldwell Banker Homesale Services Group in Lancaster, Pa.

The wedding of DEBRA A. MEYER '97 and TODD M. GAMBLE '98 took place in Miller Chapel on October 13, 2001. Debra is the director of food services at Bloomsburg (Pa.) University for Aramark Inc. Todd, the son of BEV GAMBLE, assistant to LVC's dean of student services, is a PC support specialist at Lebanon Valley College.

SCHROEDER WORKED IN NEW YORK CITY BEFORE JOINING THE PEACE CORPS IN 2000.

AN AFRICAN ADVENTURE

BY KARLIN SCHROEDER '99

"Small small, catch monkey," Pa Thomas said to me, testing my knowledge.

"You di talk na true," I answered as Pa burst into laughter at my attempt to hold a Pidgin conversation with him.

Pa and I were discussing my struggle to learn this local language spoken among the people of Cameroon, West Africa. I had been a Peace Corps volunteer for eight months and understood the importance of communicating with the people in their own words. That meant learning several tribal languages, French and Pidgin. The latter was by far the most fun.

Pa's words of encouragement were telling me that if I took things one step at a time I would succeed. Small small, catch monkey is a metaphor for life in Africa, as well as life in the Peace Corps. Allow me to explain.

Imagine having no teaching experience other than a three-month crash course on the Cameroonian school system. Then imagine facing classrooms of not 30-40 adolescent students, but of 140 adolescent students. What do you do when you know those students do not understand your strange American accent because English is their third language? What do you do when the only discipline they respond to, corporal punishment, is one you are against?

The problem of teaching my class well, while also keeping order, was overwhelming. I gradually learned how to speak slowly and clearly, gained respect without corporal punishment and connected with my students. It took months to create a semi-successful environment. Remaining hopeful was crucial. Pa's words keep ringing in my head. Small small, catch monkey.

Then there is the issue of bush taxi rides. A bush taxi is any car that travels from point A to point B. Most of these cars are second hand, with duct tape and string holding the fender to the frame. Welcome to Cameroonian public transport! The situation would not be so bad except that these cars, designed to hold five people at most, are packed with eight or even nine passengers. It is not unusual to find yourself sharing the front passenger seat with another person while the driver does the same.

How does this pertain to Pa's advice? Well, bush taxis do not run on a schedule. That means that you have to wait for seven other people who are going in your direction. Then you have to drive over unpaved, muddy and dust-filled roads at speeds of 25 miles per hour. A trip that would take three hours in America can take seven here. For a hurried ex-New Yorker like myself, it is a real lesson in patience. For Cameroonians it is life. Small small, catch monkey.

Just from these two illustrations I have given you, I have experienced the deeper meaning of this amusing expression. I have also learned some invaluable lessons. I would like to tell you that I was not idealistic when I chose to join the Peace Corps, but I was. I did not come here to save the world. But I did come to help a country along the path of development, experience a new culture and challenge myself. Even while recognizing the obstacles that lay before me, I grossly misunderstood what I could do and learn in Cameroon.

What I have found from daily life in Cameroon and Pa's advice is what any Cameroonian will tell you: the best way to get things done is to take them one at a time. Also, you learn that you have to have faith that tomorrow will bring better things. This, then, is the deeper meaning of Pa's phrase — patience and hope.

Cameroonians are experts at patience and hope. Americans, such as myself and the other volunteers here, are not. Keeping patience and hope have been both the most frustrating and most fulfilling lessons that life in Africa, and the Peace Corps, has given to me. But I can see now that what they say is true. If you take things slowly (small small) you can accomplish even the most difficult task (catch monkey).

SCHROEDER TEACHES BIOLOGY AND CHEMISTRY IN A GOVERNMENT SECONDARY SCHOOL IN ENYOH (GSS ENYOH), A TINY TOWN (POPULATION 3,500) IN THE NORTH WEST PROVINCE OF CAMEROON, AFRICA. SHE TEACHES STUDENTS THAT ARE AGE-EQUIVALENT TO THOSE IN SEVENTH THROUGH 11TH GRADE IN THE UNITED STATES. THE PEOPLE IN ENYOH ARE ANGLOPHONE, OR ENGLISH SPEAKERS, BUT USE MOGHAMO (A TRIBAL LANGUAGE) AND PIDGIN MORE FREQUENTLY. SCHROEDER IS IN AFRICA ON A TWO-YEAR PEACE CORPS PROJECT THAT BEGAN IN JUNE 2000.

Stacey Miller Page '97 and her husband, John, welcomed their first child into their family. Benjamin Edward was born July 19, 2001.

Jennifer M. Rohrer '97 is a clinical psychology Ph.D. candidate at Kent State University in Ohio.

On September 21, 2001, Dawn Friday Sager '97 and her husband, Joe, welcomed their first child, Colton Joseph, into their family.

Boston was the setting for the wedding ceremony of Erica M. Schneck '97 and Domenic Marinelli on June 2, 2001. Lynne E. Dettore '96 and Yvonne A. D'Uva '97 served as bridesmaids. Other LVC alumni in attendance were: Denise Oraboni Wildman '97, Beth A. Paul '98, Kimberly McCabe Warner '98, Brian M. Warner '96, Jennifer L. Achtzehn '00 and Lawrence M. Larthey IV '00.

Jessica Smith Teska '97 is a teacher in the Valley Park School District in Montana.

Christina J. Watts '97 is a math special educator at the Baltimore Academy.

David K. Wentzel '97 is the director of data services for Deloitte & Touche, a professional services firm, in Chadds Ford, Pa.

Founders Hall in Hershey, Pa., was the setting for the recent marriage of Eric A. Boyle '98 and Stacey L. Rine '98. Eric is a quality assurance specialist with Verdelli Farms Inc. in Harrisburg, and Stacey is an admissions interviewer with Milton Hershey School.

The Shroyer Health Center is located on the newly landscaped Sheridan Avenue.

On July 7, 2001, Brian D. Burke '98 and Lauren M. Corbett '99 were married. Brian teaches history and is an assistant football coach for the Ridgefield (N.J.) School District. Lauren is a science teacher for the New Milford School District.

Elizabeth Masessa Carmona '98 is an elementary general music teacher in the Randolph Township Schools in New Jersey. Her husband, Willy M. Carmona '98, is the high school band director for the Dover Board of Education.

Kathryn E. Clark '98 is a territory sales representative for Newell Rubbermaid in New Jersey.

Kimbrin L. Cornelius '98 is pursuing a master's degree in school counseling at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

The wedding ceremony of Cherie A. Forry '98 and Matthew S. Houck '99 took place at the Tree of Life Lutheran Church in Harrisburg, Pa., on November 17, 2001. Michael Houck '97 served as best man and Despina Hazatones Houck '99 was in the wedding party. Cherie is a broker support analyst for United Concordia Co. Inc., a dental insurance company, in Harrisburg. Matt is an elementary teacher in the Steelton-Highspire School District.

Timothy A. Frantz '98 is a legal advocate for Haven of Lake and Sumter counties in Leesburg, Fla.

Entrepreneur Christine Fritz '98 is the owner of Precision Arts, a wholesale and retail pottery business located in Lexington, Ky. Christine creates pottery that she sells to the public. She is also an aerobics instructor and personal trainer for Shapes gyms in Lexington.

The Lampeter (Pa.) United Methodist Church was the setting for the marriage of Tracie L. Gilpin '98 and Christopher S. Kortright on October 6, 2001. Tracie, having received a master's degree in physician assistant sciences from Saint Francis University, is employed at Orthopedic Consultants, LTD, in Lancaster.

On November 3, 2001, Stephanie Gipe '98 and Jonathan Hoke were married. Stephanie is a human resource administrative coordinator for Nationwide Insurance in Harrisburg, Pa.

On September 22, 2001, Danielle M. Hall '98 and David S. Bernhauser were married at St. Stanislaus Roman Catholic Church in Lansdale, Pa.

The wedding ceremony of Todd A. Henry '98 and Tina M. Bennett took place recently at White Pines in Mechanicsburg, Pa. Todd is a pension manager for Keystone Retirement Corporation in Harrisburg.

Wayne R. Knaub II '98 is store operations coordinator for Coach Inc. in New York City.

Allison Martin '98 and Kevin Sellers were married in the Fontana (Pa.) Union Chapel on October 13, 2001. Allison is a science teacher at Cedar Crest High School in Lebanon.

Cameron Manahan Martinez '98 is a program supervisor for United Cerebral Palsy in Pennsylvania.

Willow Valley Resort and Conference Center in Lancaster, Pa., was the setting for the wedding ceremony of Jerry W. Pfarr '98 and Melissa Pinder on February 24, 2001. Jerry is a senior research assistant on the emerging pathogens and respiratory virus research department at Southern Research Institute in Frederick, Md.

Michele L. Ruczhak '98 is an intensive case manager for Community Services of Devereux in Phoenixville, Pa.

William M. Schwartz '98 is an account manager for TBB Global Logistics, currently located in Shrewsbury, Pa.

Jeanine M. Schweitzer '98 is an assistant controller for Premium Beverage Packers in Wyomissing, Pa.

Dyan L. Shannon '98 is a gifted support teacher in the West York (Pa.) Area School District.

The Coleman Chapel of Inn 422 in Lebanon, Pa., was the setting for the wedding ceremony of Charles R. Slabach Jr. '98 and Angel L. Galloway '99 on May 27, 2001. Charles is pursuing his teaching certificate and Angel is the manager of Color Me Mine in Mechanicsburg.

On August 10, 2001, Denise Steiniger Slenker '98 and her husband, Jason Z. Slenker '98, welcomed a son, Chase Robert, into their family.

On May 20, 2001, Lisa Epting Underwood '98 and her husband, Craig A. Underwood '99, welcomed a daughter, Madeline Claire, into their family. Lisa is a part-time children's librarian at the Allentown (Pa.) Public Library. Craig is a multi-media specialist at Communications System Inc., also in Allentown.

Arianne Zeck '98 is the assistant marketing director for General Growth Properties in Lancaster, Pa.

KEVIN M. ADLER M'99 and his wife, SHANNA GEMMILL ADLER, development associate at LVC, welcomed daughter Chloe Gemmill into their family on February 5, 2002.

CHRISTOPHER E. ALBRIGHT '99 has joined the staff of the *Upper Dauphin Sentinel* in Millersburg, Pa., as a reporter concentrating on sports coverage.

A student mentor for Milton Hershey School in Hershey, Pa., SHANNON L. BENNETT '99 is also a behavioral counselor for Cornell Abraxas in Harrisburg.

MELISSA K. BRECHT '99 is a human resources analyst for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of Transportation in Harrisburg.

KATEY KUHNS CASTELLANO '99 received a master's degree in English from Bucknell University in Lewisburg, Pa. She has received a five-year fellowship to pursue a doctoral degree in English at Duke University in Durham, N.C.

The State Civil Service Commission in Harrisburg, Pa., promoted JOSHUA A. DIFLORIO '99 to a distributed systems specialist.

ALICIA WAY GALLAGHER '99 is an investment representative for Union National Community Bank in Mount Joy, Pa.

CARI H. GRAF '99 is a mixing engineer for EGI Records in Houston, Texas. He and his wife, EFROSINY TRAPLZOUNTIOS GRAF '99 have a 19-month old daughter, Nicole.

Williamsburg (Pa.) United Methodist Church was the setting for the wedding ceremony of WENDY J. HOFFMAN '99 and RANDY L. STRITE '99 on March 31, 2001. Wendy is the corporate relocation coordinator for Russell and Jeffcoat Realtors in Columbia, S.C., and Randy is an account service representative for Carolina Care Plan in Columbia.

On September 1, 2001, the wedding ceremony of RICHARD IPPOLITO '99 and Kristen Keesey took place at the Historic Rock Ford Plantation in Lancaster, Pa. Richard is an audio/visual technician at Millersville University.

JODY L. JACOBETZ '99 is enrolled in the scholar's program at Widener University School of Law in Wilmington, Del.

DALINDA C. KNAUTH '99 and Keith B. Bohr were married on November 17, 2001.

CHERYL A. LEE '99, a drug and alcohol counselor at Good Samaritan Regional Medical Center in St. Clair, Pa., is pursuing a master's degree at Temple University in Philadelphia.

TABITHA MAINS MCQUIDDY '99 is an art teacher at the Learning Garden-West in Bellevue, Wash.

MUSIC PROFILE

THE POP LIFE

Though she has shared dressing rooms with folk music legends Lucy Kaplansky and Marshall Crenshaw, **Sharon Barr Docherty '90** still sings about the things that keep people up at night. On her debut album's track "Man On the Moon," she croons, "You see, before 1969, there was mystery and grace and only the possibility of humans up in space."

This former music major is quick to admit that her first success as a folk singer happened at Lebanon Valley College. "I won first prize at open mic in the Underground," Docherty boasts with an air of sentimentality. The songstress has since earned the right to call herself the kind of folk rocker who makes her new audiences (and husband **Fran Docherty '88**) in Denver, Colo., proud.

It was as a college student, however, that Docherty picked up the instrument that would christen her folk style. "I had a friend named **Connie Pyle** [Class of 1990]," remembers Docherty. "We would practice in the bathroom on the third floor of Keister Hall. I had started playing guitar and we would do Indigo Girls cover songs. I could change to three different chords, and we would really belt them out."

In between rowdy classes at Scott Carpenter Middle School, where she is a vocal music and choir teacher, Docherty takes time to talk about her second passion after teaching: performing. Following college graduation, Docherty toured the country. She played the prestigious Rialto and Gothic theatres in Denver, as well as the Lincoln Park Music Festival in Chicago. It was there where audiences first heard songs like, "Agamemnon and Me," that would end up on Docherty's solo album, *One Proud Stance.*

Before touring, Docherty also learned piano and cello from LVC professors **Dr. George Curfman '53, Dr. Dennis Sweigart '73** and **Dr. Robert Hearson**. "I traveled with the LVC Jazz Band," she says. "**Tom Strohman** [Class of 1975 and also a LVC music professor] was the director. I received a lot of encouragement from him. It is where I first got my feet wet."

And though her audiences vary between avid legions of Dylan and Baez fans to preteen apprentices, she believes that every one of these experiences influenced her music. "That is why I went back to teaching," she says. "I need that interaction with people. And with middle school children, there is never a dull moment."

NATALIE HOPE MCDONALD '97 IS MANAGING EDITOR OF NORTH AMERICAN PUBLISHING COMPANY IN PHILADELPHIA, PA. SHE IS A FORMER EDITOR OF *LA VIE COLLEGIENNE*.

After successfully completing seven examinations, DANIEL P. POST '99 was named an associate of the Casualty Actuarial Society. Daniel is an associate actuary at American International Underwriters in New York, N.Y.

CHRISTOPHER J. PUGH '99 attends medical school at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine in Philadelphia, Pa.

KEITH D. RICHARDSON '99 is a band director in the Eastern York School District in Wrightsville, Pa.

The wedding ceremony of JAIME S. RUTH '99 and SCOTT D. GEHRES '99 took place on September 8, 2001, at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Hamburg, Pa. Jaime is a teacher in the Penn Manor School District in Millersville, and Scott teaches in the Manheim Township District.

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On July 28, 2001, KRISTI L. BAKER '00 and WILLIAM S. MCMICHAEL II '02 were married at the Lancaster (Pa.) Brethren in Christ Church. Kristi is a customer account analyst at Pfizer in Lititz. William, scheduled to graduate in December, is a shift leader at Ruby Tuesday's in Lancaster.

Salem (Belleman's) Union Church in Mohrsville, Pa., was the setting of the recent wedding ceremony of MARY ANN BARRELL '00 and Cory J. Kunkle. Mary is a conversion wrapper/programmer for Datatel Inc. in Fairfax, Va.

CHRISTOPHER M. BEEBE '00 is the director of pharmacy at the Lancaster (Pa.) Regional Medical Center.

LVC CLASS OF 2001 APPLAUDS DURING THEIR COMMENCEMENT CEREMONIES.

St. John Baptist de la Salle Roman Catholic Church in Shillington, Pa., was the setting of the recent wedding ceremony of ANDREW A. SMITH M'99 and Amy L. Kravetz.

JULIE K. SMITH '99 lives in New York City where she is actively pursuing a career in film and television performance.

The wedding ceremony of JARED L. SPIDEL '99 and MEREDITH A. KEESEY '01 took place at Elizabethtown (Pa.) Church of the Brethren on August 4, 2001.

DOUGLAS L. WEIGLE '99 is an information management associate analyst at PSGA of Johnson & Johnson in Hamilton, N.J. His wife, MARCIA TUMPEY WEIGLE '99, is a certified analytical technical support quality assurance scientist, also for PSGA of Johnson & Johnson.

DENNIS J. DALESSANDRO '00 is warehouse manager for D & H Distributing in Harrisburg, Pa.

CHRISTOPHER J. EVANS '00 is a music teacher in the Schuylkill Haven (Pa.) Area School District.

CHRISTINA HART '00 is a sixth-grade teacher at William Beanes Elementary School in Suitland, Md.

GREGORY D. KOHLER '00 is enrolled at the Philadelphia (Pa.) College of Osteopathic Medicine.

VALERIE L. MACRIE '00 is a music teacher at Margaret Mace Elementary School in North Wildwood, N.J.

AMY E. MARTIN '00 is an elementary music teacher in the Brentwood Union Free School District in New York.

The wedding ceremony of EMILY S. MARTIN '00 and S. Chipman Dickey took place on July 28, 2001, at Trinity United Church of Christ in Waynesboro, Pa. Emily is Greencastle bureau chief and a staff writer for *The Record Herald* in Waynesboro.

Pennsylvania's Capitol Rotunda was the setting of the wedding ceremony of STEPHANIE M. REED '00 and Kenneth H. Burkholder on July 28, 2001. Stephanie is a psychiatric and research assistant at Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center in Hershey.

The Grandview Golf Course in Dover, Pa., was the setting for the wedding ceremony of MICHAEL J. RIDLER '00 and Danyale Kline on April 21, 2001. Mike is an actuary assistant for Guardian Life Insurance Company in Bethlehem.

KELLY L. SONON '00 is the director of catering and wedding specialist for the Brunswick Ramada Inn in Lancaster, Pa.

JERI LYNN YINGER '00 is a neurology consultant for XCEL Pharmaceuticals in San Diego, Calif.

MELISSA S. ZINN '00 is a mental health worker for Milton Hershey School in Hershey, Pa.

KAREN M. HARRISON '01 is a staff auditor for Kuntz Lesher, LLP, in Lancaster, Pa.

DAVID S. HELMAN '01 is an accountant for Bond Beebe Advisors and Accountants in Bethesda, Md.

JAYANNE N. HOGATE '01 is e-communications coordinator in the Office of Governor Mark Schweiker in Harrisburg.

BRYAN K. HUYETT '01 is a counselor at the New Morgan Academy in Morgantown, Pa.

JESSICA R. LANDIS '01 works in the lab at Exponential Biotech Inc. in Rockville Md.

Burnham Corporation in Lancaster, Pa., recently promoted DAISY LILLY M'01 to communications manager in their hydronics division.

JESSICA A. MITCHELL '01 is a lab technician at Environmental Health Lab in Cromwell, Conn.

The wedding ceremony of ANDREW P. RIMBY '01 and Rebecca Lovell took place on June 30, 2001, in the home of the bride's parents. Andrew is a programmer/analyst for Regal Decision Systems Inc. in Linthicum, Md.

JENNIFER L. SCHEIDT '01 is a research specialist at the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia.

DENISE N. SMITH '01 is the owner/operator of Yoga for You in Annville, Pa.

The wedding ceremony of LYNN M. TENLEY '01 and DAVID W. SHAPIRO '99 took place at White Pines in Mechanicsburg, Pa., on July 14, 2001.

MICHELLE A. WALMSLEY '01 is the assistant director of alumni affairs and student programs for Clark University in Worcester, Mass.

VALLEY NEWS

LVC President Dr. G. David Pollick (left) presents the Founders Day Award to David M. Joyner, M.D.

FOUNDERS DAY AWARDS

Dr. David M. Joyner, former executive vice president of the Orthopedic Institute of Pennsylvania and current fellow of the American College of Surgeons and the American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons, was honored as the recipient of Lebanon Valley College's Founders Day Award during the College's Founders Day celebration this past March 26.

The Founders Day Award recognizes individuals whose character and leadership, in the spirit of the founders of Lebanon Valley College, contribute to the enhancement of life in Central Pennsylvania.

Dr. Joyner discussed "Idealism and the Role of Athletics in Education" during the ceremony held in Miller Chapel on the campus of Lebanon Valley College. **John A. Schaefer '78**, pastor, Grace United Methodist Church, offered the Invocation.

The President's Award and the Student Government Educator Award were also presented during the Founders Day ceremony. The Student Government Award, an honor bestowed by the student body to a nominated faculty member, was given to **Dr. Donald Byrne**. Byrne, who joined the College in 1971, is the director of the American studies program and teaches religion and American studies. He holds a B.A. in philosophy from St. Paul Seminary, a M.A. in theology from Marquette University and a Ph.D. in religion from Duke University.

The President's Award recognizes student organizations that contribute to the mission of the College and demonstrate vision, informed decision-making and preparation for a life of service to others. The award was given to the College's Best Buddies organization. Best Buddies is an international, non-profit organization that is developing a home in Annville through the efforts of the LVC student chapter. The mission of the Best Buddies program is to enhance the lives of people with intellectual disabilities by reaching out in friendship and understanding on a one-on-one basis. The group received a special visit in the fall from Best Buddies founder Anthony Kennedy Shriver.

"THE 1960s" CONTINUES

The College's 2001-2002 Colloquium, "The 1960s," continued throughout the spring semester with a variety of cultural offerings. Featured events included "Reflections: Martin Luther King Jr." by Jim Lucas; "Why the Sixties Are Still Controversial" with Todd Gitlin, professor of journalism, culture and sociology at New York University; "The 60s Bowl" hosted by professors **Dr. Eric Bain-Selbo** and **Dr. J. Noel Hubler**; "Songs of the 1960s" performed by singer Jean Synodinos as part of the Coffeehouse Series; and "The Soul of a Citizen," a discussion with Paul Loeb, an award-winning investigative reporter, on campus activism in the 1960s versus the present.

The 2002-2003 Colloquium will focus on Africa.

WOODROW WILSON FELLOW

Marjorie Margolies-Mezvinsky spent a week in February on campus as the College's Woodrow Wilson Visiting Fellow. She met with students and faculty and gave a public lecture, titled "Watch Out for Falling Glass: Shattering the Glass Ceiling and Empowering Women Here and Abroad."

Margolies-Mezvinsky, an expert on women's political issues, chairs Women's Campaign International, a group that provides political training for women throughout the world. She was director of the U.S. delegation to the United Nations Fourth World Conference on Women in Beijing, China. Margolies-Mezvinsky is currently a fellow at the Fels Center of Government at the University of Pennsylvania, where she teaches courses on women and politics. As a Woodrow Wilson National Fellow, she lectures on the changing status of women in the workplace and the political world.

Anthony Kennedy Shriver (far left), founder of Best Buddies, was at Kreiderheim last fall to celebrate the seventh anniversary of LVC's chapter. He was joined by (from l. to r.) Jen Peirson '03, Dean Stephen MacDonald and Pennsylvania Senator David "Chip" Brightbill.

SEVERAL LVC TRUSTEES ATTENDED THE RECENT GYM GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONY AT THE HEILMAN CENTER. THEY INCLUDED (L. TO R.) Dr. John Synodinos, LVC President *Emeritus*; Ryan Arnold M '04, Student Trustee; Rev. Dr. J. Dennis Williams; William Lehr Jr.; Dr. Ross Fasick '55, Chair of the Board; Dr. Albertine Washington; Dr. G. David Pollick, LVC President; Janine Storti '02, Student Trustee; Dr. Thomas Reinhart '58; Stephen Roberts '65; John "Jack" Jurasirs Jr., P '03; and the honorable John Walter '53.

GROUNDBREAKING

A new gymnasium will be constructed on the southeast side of the Heilman Center, consolidating all student recreation and athletic facilities on the north side of campus. The newest locker, fitness and weight-training facilities are located there as well with adequate public parking. Seating for events in the gymnasium will increase by 36 percent to 1,550. Visit our web site for diagrams and details: **www.lvc.edu/progress**.

CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARIES

The following LVC employees recently celebrated service anniversaries in 2002:

Five Years: DR. PATRICK BREWER, assistant professor of mathematical sciences; MARY MEYER GARDNER, aquatics director and head swim coach; THOMAS M. HANRAHAN, director of college relations; SHIRLEY J. HOCKLEY, director of Annville continuing education; DR. DONALD KLINE, assistant professor of education; DR. KERRIE D. LAGUNA, assistant professor of psychology; JENNIFER LIEDTKA '92, M'00, director of financial aid; ALLAN G. MACCORMACK, director of physical education and head coach of men's ice hockey; DR. SHELLY MOORMAN-STAHLMAN, assistant professor of music; JEFFREY S. SNYDER, assistant professor of music and assistant director of music recording technology.

10 Years: MONIKA E. EDWARDS, assistant to the director of the Lancaster Center; MARCUS B. HORNE, stockroom coordinator and chemical hygiene officer; CAROLYN AINGE LAUVER, director of major gifts; DENISE D. SANDERS, secretary for the registrar's office; ANGELA M. WEABER, facilities services personnel; THE REV. D. DARRELL WOOMER, chaplain; SUSAN B. ZEARING, assistant in the admission office.

15 Years: DR. SUSAN L. ATKINSON, professor and chair of education; DR. MICHAEL A. DAY, professor and chair of physics; DR. PHYLIS C. DRYDEN, associate professor of English; DR. ROBERT E. HAMILTON, vice president for administration.

20 Years: DEBORAH R. FULLAM '81, vice president and controller; DR. BARRY L. HURST, associate professor of physics.

25 Years: DR. CAROLYN R. HANES, professor and chair of sociology; JACQUELINE F. SHOWERS, telephone console attendant/secretary; BARBARA A. SMITH, assistant to the vice president for academic affairs/dean of the faculty.

30 Years: DR. JOHN H. HEFFNER, professor of philosophy; DR. DENNIS W. SWEIGART '73, professor of music.

35 Years: ROBERT E. HARNISH, manager of the College store.

PLAYWRIGHT-IN-RESIDENCE DEBUTS TWO ONE-ACT PLAYS

DR. ARTHUR FORD, LVC's playwright-in-residence and English professor *emeritus*, recently presented a pair of one-act plays at the Allen Theatre in Annville.

Charles Wolfson's Future, is a "quirky comedy" about a lonely man's attempt to cope with a dismal love life by seeking advice from a number of sources and coming up with an unorthodox solution. *The Far Green Field: A Meditation on Death and Baseball* presented three older men and their return to the site of their boyhood friendship where they confront their own mortality and find solace in America's favorite pastime.

The plays showcased the acting and directing talents of several members of the LVC family. DR. KEVIN PRY '76, assistant professor of English; TIM SPIESE, brother of LVC graduate STEVE SPIESE '72; LEONARD WASHINGTON, spouse of LVC trustee DR. ALBERTINE WASHINGTON; DR. WILLIAM MCGILL, dean *emeritus* of the College; and DR. JOHN SYNODINOS, president *emeritus* of the College; all performed in acting roles. Steve Spiese served as director of *Charles Wolfson's Future* and Dr. Ford served as director of *The Far Green Field.*

Proceeds from the performance went to Garet's Hope, a fund that helps pay ongoing medical bills for PEGGY SPIESE '73,

PLAYWRIGHT-IN-RESIDENCE DR. ART FORD RECENTLY PRESENTED TWO ONE-ACT PLAYS AT THE ALLEN THEATRE.

whose stage name is Garet Spiese. Peggy is an LVC graduate, actor, writer and recent liver transplant recipient.

TENURE & PROMOTIONS

DR. JOHANNES DIETRICH was promoted to associate professor of music. DR. DEANNA DODSON was promoted to associate professor of psychology. DR. J. NOEL HUBLER was awarded tenure and promoted to associate professor of religion and philosophy. DR. MARY LEMONS was promoted to associate professor of music. DR. REBECCA MCCOY was awarded tenure and promoted to associate professor of history. DR. MARY PETTICE was promoted to associate professor of English. THOMAS STROHMAN '75 was promoted to associate professor of music.

PULITZER PRIZE-WINNING POET VISITS CAMPUS

STEPHEN DUNN, winner of the 2001 Pulitzer Prize in Poetry, held a reading in the Leedy Theater of Lebanon Valley College's Mund College Center this past March. He was here as a guest of DR. PHIL BILLINGS, LVC professor of English.

Dunn is the author of 11 collections of poetry, including *Different Hours* (Pulitzer Prize, 2001), *Loosestrife* (National Book Critics Circle Award finalist, 1996), *New & Selected Poems: 1974-1994*, *Landscape at the End of the Century and Between Angels*. His work, *Local Time*, was a winner of The National Poetry Series in 1986. Dunn has also written two books of prose, *Walking Light: Memoirs and Essays on Poetry* and *Riffs & Reciprocities: Prose Pairs*. A new and expanded edition of *Walking Light: Memoirs and Essays on Poetry* was issued in 2001.

Dunn, distinguished professor of creative writing at Richard Stockton College of New Jersey, has received numerous awards for his writing. They include the Academy Award in Literature from the American Academy of Arts & Letters, fellowships from the Guggenheim and Rockefeller Foundations, three NEA Creative Writing Fellowships, the Levinson and Oscar Blumenthal Prizes from *Poetry*, the Theodore Roethke Prize from *Poetry Northwest* and the James Wright Prize from *Mid-Atlantic Review*.

DR. DONALD BYRNE (CENTER) IN THE HEILMAN CENTER WITH SEVERAL STUDENTS WHO NOMINATED HIM FOR THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT EDUCATOR'S AWARD. (L. TO R.) Rachel Frost '02, Greg Kutchma '02, Amber Shotwell '02, Byrne, Stu Seiden '02, Nicole Ondo '02 and Lauren Baptista '02. The students are all members of Student Government

AWARD WINNERS

JENNIFER LIEDTKA '92, M'00, director of financial aid, received the "Emerging Leader Award" at the annual conference of the Pennsylvania Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (PASFAA) held at Seven Springs in Champion, Pa., in October. The membership of this organization totals over 700 financial aid administrators.

JENNIFER SEYFERT '01 was among 602 students recently listed in *The Wall Street Journal* as a recipient of the publication's 2001 Student Achievement Award. Members of the College's Department of Business Administration selected Seyfert for the award because of her academic performance and scholarship.

GRANT RECIPIENTS

DR. ERIC BAIN-SELBO, assistant professor of religion and philosophy, was awarded a grant from the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion. The grant will fund his project, "The Teaching of Maori Religion and Culture in New Zealand Colleges and Universities." In conjunction with and subsequent to his role as director of the LVC study-abroad program in New Zealand (spring 2002), Bain-Selbo will be researching the ways in which Maori culture and history have been and are taught in institutions of higher education in New Zealand. His fieldwork will include observations of classes and conversations with professors at the University of Waikato (site of the LVC program) and the University of Auckland.

DR. CHERYL GEORGE, assistant professor of special education, was awarded a $20,400 grant funded through the Pennsylvania Department of Education in response to her Teacher Preparation Partnership proposal. The purpose of the grant is to improve reading performance of students with disabilities through the use of systematic, research-based reading curriculums. The grant will run through January 2003.

The Course, Curriculum and Laboratory Improvement Program of the National Science Foundation recently awarded Lebanon Valley College a grant of $39,500 to support the acquisition of research-grade instrumentation for teaching and research in chemistry, biochemistry and molecular biology. DR. OWEN MOE and DR. WALTER PATTON, professors of chemistry, submitted the grant proposal, making the case for

the introduction of a powerful new mass spectral technology into the undergraduate curriculum. The technology, called matrix-assisted laser desorption ionization time-of-flight mass spectrometry (or MALDI-TOF), can be used to determine structural characteristics of biological macromolecules such as proteins, nucleic acids and carbohydrates. The grant provides for the acquisition of a MALDI-TOF instrument and the development of five new experiments for upper-level laboratory courses.

PERFORMERS

The LVC Symphony Orchestra, currently planning a European trip, performed this past April 21 in Lutz Hall of the Blair Music Center. The program featured Franz Schubert's *Symphony #8*, better known as his *Unfinished Symphony*, several works of the celebrated American composer Aaron Copland, the Overture to Dimitri Kabalevsky's opera, *Colas Breugnon*, and the seldom-heard *Village Swallows Waltz* by Josef Strauss. The Symphony Orchestra is under the direction of Dr. Johannes Dietrich, assistant professor of music.

The LVC Symphony Orchestra poses in full regalia on the steps of the Blair Music Center. They are (L. to R.). Roshaun Kerdzaliev '02, Travis Leap '04, Bryan Wethington '02, Andrew Gena '05, Andrew Jackson '04, Brenda McElwee '02, Jonathan Crane '02, Michael Gamon '06, Larissa Fabian '03, Regina Kettering '02, professor Johannes Dietrich, Erica Gibson '03, Krista Gauss '02, Jesse Clark '02, Elizabeth Rodgers '02, Sara Shaffer '02, Ashley Lang '04, Kristin Showalter '05, Michael Wittrien '02, Anne Small '03, Russell Cody '02, Julia Krovic '05, Mark Brown '02, Julia Walenciak '02, Maggie Kline '05, Amanda Mill '02, Jessica McQuay '02, Christina Dobson '05, Heather Culbertson '02, Daniel Mieloch '02, Anthony Penn '02, Corinne Erb '02, Tara Seefeldt '03, Sharon Frey '05, Kurt Roberts '02. Not pictured: Amy Van Orden '02 and Emily Kalda '02

PRESENTERS

Jean-Paul Benowitz, adjunct instructor of history, presented a paper titled, "Memories of Civil Rights Activists Eyewitnesses to a Turbulent World: The Challenges of Reconciling Oral History to the Historical Record," at the 35th Annual Meeting of the Oral History Association "Bearing Public Witness: Documenting Memories of Struggle and Resistance" in St. Louis, Mo., in October.

Leslie Bowen, assistant professor of art, displayed her work in the Alumni Exhibit at the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts in September 2001. Her work was also included in an invitational group show, *Artist's Choice*, at the Third Street Gallery on 2nd Street in Philadelphia.

Dr. Salvatore Cullari, professor of psychology, attended the Pennsylvania Psychological Association meeting in Pittsburgh, Pa., where he presented a workshop (with John Gavazzi) titled, "Pennsylvania Psychologists and Prescription Privileges: Where Are We Now?" Cullari is chair of the Public Interest Board, which includes the Ethics Committee, the Colleague Assistance Committee, the Social Responsibility Committee and the Committee on Multiculturalism.

Dr. Gary Grieve-Carlson, professor of English and director of general education, presented a paper, "Art, Sex and the Sacred: Pygmalion in Twentieth-Century Poetry," at the Rocky Mountain Modern Language Association in Vancouver, Canada, in October.

Dr. John Hinshaw, assistant professor of history, gave two talks at the History Workshop at the University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa. They were "The Politics of Production: 20th Century Steel and Steelworkers in the United States and South Africa" (with David Monyae) and "The Political and Ethnic Implications of Black on Black Violence on the East Rand in the Early 1990s." Hinshaw was a Research Fellow with the Sociology of Work Unit Project at Wits University last July and August, where

Mr. And Mrs. Philip Eberly P'77 recently donated to the College a large collection of recordings featuring music of the 1920s, 1930s and 1940s. The works, donated in memory of their son David R. Eberly '77 who passed away in 1997, include popular and patriotic music, jazz, and works from the stage, screen and radio.

The recordings will be used in the brass pedagogy and literature courses. They will become part of the permanent collection housed in the Learning Resource Center of the Blair Music Center, which is open to students and faculty.

he conducted research on the South African steel industry.

DR. J. NOEL HUBLER, assistant professor of religion and philosophy, presented the following three papers at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Religion in Denver: "Weil, Arendt and the Iliad: Mythic groundings in a crisis of identity" for the Art(s) of Interpretation Group; "Plotinus and the Myth of the Fall: An example of Plotinus' powers of philosophical synthesis" for the Platonism and Neoplatonism Group; and "A Tale of Two Plotini: Hegel's reading and use of Plotinus" for the 19th-Century Theology Group.

DR. DIANE IGLESIAS, professor of Spanish, presented a paper on Medieval Spanish writer Gonzalo de Berceo at the Fifth Conference of the International Society of Luso-Hispanic Humor Studies at Loyola University of Chicago last September. Her paper was titled, "The Miraculous Sense of Humor in Gonzalo de Berceo" and explained the popular humor found in the medieval miracle stories collected in "Los Milagros de Nuestra Senora." Dr. Iglesias was also the chair of the session on "The Role of Humor in Medieval and Renaissance Spain."

ROSA TEZANOS-PINTO, assistant professor of Spanish, presented a paper on 20th-century Argentinean writer Enrique Anderson Imbert at the VII Comodoro Rivadavia Book Fair held in Comodoro Rivadavia, Argentina, last August. Her paper was titled, "Estetica y filosofia del realismo Magico en los cuentos de Anderson Imbert." She was also invited to give a talk on Ester de Izaguirre's latest novel, *Ayer no ha terminado todavia.*

DR. BARNEY RAFFIELD III, professor of business administration, recently presented "From Communism to Capitalism: Ukraine's Painful Journey" as part of the College's 15th Annual Fred J. Springer Lecture in International Business Management. Raffield's lecture drew from personal experiences and observations made as a Fulbright Scholar in the Ukraine in the fall of 2001.

DR. SERGIY KORSUNSKY, counselor for science, technology and education at the Embassy of Ukraine in Washington, D.C., attended the lecture.

DR. ANGEL TUNINETTI, assistant professor of Spanish, presented a paper at the Latin American Studies Association (LASA) 2001 Congress in Washington, D.C., in September. The paper, titled *Monos, loros, mulas e indios: la representacion de la 'fauna' en la literatura de viajes* (Monkeys, Parrots, Mules and Indians: the Representation of 'Fauna' in Travel Literature), deals with the representation of animals in 19th-century travel literature in South America. He also presented a paper on the representation of nature in 19th-century Argentine travel literature at the Alexander Von Humbolt Conference 2001 — "Travel Literature to and from Latin America and from the 15th through the 20th Centuries," last June at Humboldt State University in Arcata, Calif.

DR. SUSAN VERHOEK, professor of biology, traveled to Albuquerque last August to chair a paper session and present a paper, "Botany of European Fairy Tales," at the Botanical Society of America 2001 convention.

WORKING TOGETHER

DR. CHERYL GEORGE, assistant professor of special education, attended the Pennsylvania Federation Council for Exceptional Children (PFCEC) 42nd Annual Convention in Grantville, Pa., in November. She and six juniors, AMY WALTER, MEGAN WEIBLEY, ASHLEY HOLLINGER, AMANDA HEBERLING, WALT SMITH and LORI COUNTERMAN, presented "Using Behavior-Change Projects to Improve Behavior."

DR. SCOTT WALCK, assistant professor of physics, and NATHAN C. HANSELL '02 published the paper, "Characterization and Visualization of the State and Entanglement of Two Spins," in the *European Journal of Physics.*

DR. GRIFFIN HATHAWAY, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, MENTORS ADVISEE LARRY MCCULLOUGH '02. HATHAWAY RECENTLY APPEARED LIVE ON C-SPAN'S "WASHINGTON JOURNAL."

Dr. Griffin Hathaway, assistant professor of political science, recently appeared on national television on C-SPAN's live "Washington Journal" as part of a series on political ideologies that have shaped the modern world. The month-long series also featured experts who discussed conservatism/liberalism, capitalism, democratic socialism and fascism. Dr. Hathaway was invited to discuss communism, the final ideology of the series, where he fielded numerous questions from both live callers and the show's host.

DR. CARL WIGAL, associate professor of chemistry, published a paper in the *Journal of Organic Chemistry* titled "Regioselective Organocadmium Alkylations of Substituted Quinines." The work was co-authored by LVC chemistry and biochemistry majors AARON APONIK '98, RYAN S. BUZDYGON '02, ROBERT J. TOMKO JR. '02, ALEEM N. FAZAL '00, ELLEN L. SHUGHART '02, DANIELLE M. MCMASTER '02, MICHAEL C. MYERS '01 and WILLIAM H. PITCOCK JR. '03. Their efforts were supported by grants from the National Science Foundation and the Petroleum Research Fund administered by the American Chemical Society.

BUSINESS CLASS BRINGS ENTREPRENEURS TO CAMPUS

President *Emeritus* DR. JOHN A. SYNODINOS co-taught a class titled "The Entrepreneurial Spirit" with JOEL A. KLINE '89, assistant professor of business administration and acting director of the new digital communications program, this past semester.

The course considered the entrepreneurial process from a wide set of perspectives and students were divided into five teams that each had two functions. The teams served as "study groups" and as "host teams." In the latter role, each student team was responsible for two visits by guest entrepreneurs. The teams had to greet the guests after performing extensive research on the entrepreneur's company, ask questions, and schedule and attend a lunch with the guest after the class.

COLLEGE TRUSTEE FRANK SOURBEER '72 (RIGHT) WAS ONE OF SEVERAL GUEST ENTREPRENEURS WHO TOOK PART IN THE ENTREPRENEURIAL SPIRIT, A SEMINAR CO-TAUGHT BY JOEL KLINE '89 (LEFT) AND DR. JOHN SYNODINOS DURING SPRING SEMESTER.

Guest entrepreneurs included LVC trustees WENDIE DIMATTEO HOLSINGER, SAMUEL A. WILLMAN '67, STEPHEN H. ROBERTS '65, JOHN F. "JACK" JURASITS P'03 and FRANK SOURBEER '72 as well as fellow entrepreneurs RICHARD L. LONDON '65, DONALD B. FRANTZ '73, JAMES GREENWOOD '59, ANNA SKAMANGAS M'00, FRANK STEARN '67 and CHERYL (SEACAT) STEARN '68.

Dr. Synodinos began the seminar with a Meyers-Briggs Type Indicator (MBTI), a self-report personality inventory, which was later discussed by DR. O. W. LACY, *emeritus* dean of students at Franklin and Marshall College.

ELECTED TO SERVE

ROBERT PAUSTIAN, director of the Bishop Library, was recently elected to the PALINET Board of Trustees for a three-year term. He has also served on that organization's Financial Committee for the last three years and is currently chairing the Special Committee on Bylaws. PALINET is a large, multi-type consortium of member libraries in the states of Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware and West Virginia.

PUBLISHED

DR. ERIC BAIN-SELBO, assistant professor and chair of religion and philosophy, published a review of Johannes Fabian's book, *Out of Our Minds: Reason and Madness in the Exploration of Central Africa.* The review appeared in January 2002 edition of *The Journal of Religion.*

DR. BARBARA DENISON, associate dean for graduate studies and continuing education, had her curriculum materials for REL 335: Religion, Homosexuality and Society included in the American Sociological Association's teaching resources guide on *The Sociology of Sexuality and Sexual Orientation: Syllabi and Teaching Materials.*

A book review of *Beasley's Guide to Library Research* by Donna Miller, librarian, was published in *Choice* (v. 39, no. 1, Sept. 2001, p. 77).

Nuevas tierras con viejos ojos (New Land through Old Eyes), a study on South American travel literature during the colonial 19th-century period by DR. ANGEL TUNINETTI, assistant professor of Spanish, was published recently by Ediciones Corregidor in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

TRANSLATED

DR. SALVATORE CULLARI, professor of psychology, had his textbook, *Foundation of Clinical Psychology,* translated into Spanish. It was one of a small number of texts chosen by the publisher for translation.

FELLOWSHIP AWARDED

The Division of Organic Chemistry of the American Chemical Society recently announced the 2002 winners of academic fellowships for Ph.D. students. AARON APONICK '98 was a recipient of one of these prestigious awards. Aaron graduated *cum laude* from Lebanon Valley College with a B.S. degree in chemistry. At LVC, Aaron worked under the direction of DR. CARL T. WIGAL, examining quinone alkylations. He then moved on to the University of Michigan, where he has explored 2-azaallyl anion cycloaddition chemistry. Aaron is currently in his fourth year of graduate study and is working on the total synthesis of the alkaloid scandine.

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